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## Start Fund For Two Aurora Accident Victims

Staging a gallant battle to save his own life, George Pugh, 23, who was struck by a car on Yonge St., Aurora, at noon hour Tuesday, is reported to be in an improved and favorable condition. Pugh, along with Thomas Beckett, were loading garbage on their truck when the accident occurred. Beckett was also hit and suffered a fractured leg. Both men were rushed to York County hospital in Newmarket.

Bleeding profusely from lacerations on his head and body, Pugh remained conscious and while lying on the road made several futile attempts to get to his feet. Dr. Crawford Rose, Aurora, arrived at the scene of the accident immediately and attended to Pugh and Becket who had been moved to the hotel at the corner of Wellington and Yonge Sts. On the arrival of the ambulance, Pugh and Beckett were rushed to the hospital for further treatment. By the time the ambulance had arrived, Dr. D. Hutchins was also at the scene of the accident and assisted Dr. Crawford Rose.

The driver of the car, A. C. McIntyre of 3 Grenadier Heights, Toronto, was travelling south when he lost control of his car on the icy highway. McIntyre first hit the corner of the garbage truck which Pugh and Beckett were loadng, then swung into the two men standing on the east side of their truck. After hitting the men, the car turned a complete circle, and collided with a lamp post on the east side of the street, facing north.

The car hit Pugh on the left side, lifting him over the motor hood and forcing his head to go through the heavy shatter-proof windshield, inflicting severe scalp lacerations. The hat Pugh was wearing was found on the back seat of the car.

Pugh suffered two broken

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A campaign to raise funds for the two well known Aurora men, Gordon Pugh and Thos. Beckett, who were injured Tuesday when they were hit by a car on Yonge St., is expected to be launched in full scale shortly. The campaign, organized by three Aurora businessmen, Lorne C. Lee, Stuart Patrick and Les Beazer, had its start at the hockey game Tuesday evening. Mr. Beazer announced over the loudspeaking system at the arena, of the plan to raise money, and between the first and second periods, six players from each team collected $148.22. When the announcement of the collection was made a rousing cheer greeted the suggestion.

The Ginger Fund is expected to begin operations in full scale within a few days. Administrating the fund is Lorne C. Lee and the working committee for the fund consists of Stuart Patrick, Clarence "Red" Fisher, Les W. Beazer, and Ray Williams of the Era and Express at 8 Irwin Ave., Aurora. Donations may be left with anyof these people and will also be accepted at the Era and Express office, 142 Main St., Newmarket.

On Tuesday, Feb. 14, a dance, called the Garbage Man's Ball will be held at the Gray Stones, Aurora, for the benefit of the two accident victims. If there is an overflow on this night, a dance will be held on February 15 as well.

It is planned to distribute the money proportionately. It is expected that Pugh will be forced to spend months on his back, recovering from his numerous injuries and Beckett will likely be away from work for several months also.

Pugh is married and has two children, Roy 3, and Sherry 2; Thomas Beckett is married with no dependants.

Both men are well known in

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## MAY SELL LAND ON EAGLE ST. FOR NEW HOMES

The disposal of town property between Eagle St. and Armitage Heights subdivision in Newmarket is the subject of the town council property committee's consideration. The most probable use for the land which has been suggested, will be for residential building lots.

"There have been suggestions that the property be used as a playground park but I think it is a dangerous location for a playground; we would have to put a fence up along Eagle St.," said Tom Birrell, chairman of the property committee.

"Real estate men say we can get $500 a lot. I think they would all be sold by spring with houses being started on them. I am in favor of selling them," he said.

"Why don't we sell them ourselves instead of paying commissions?" suggested councillor J. O. Dales.

"Are we interested in selling them for stores or commercial building sites?" asked Mr. Birrell.

"That is up to your committee to decide. If the property committee would bring in a resolution to dispose of these lots or whatever it sees fit to do, we will have something to work on," said Mayor Joseph Vale.

### White Cane Week Reminder of the Blind

White Cane week is being held next week. Chairman of the Newmarket and district advisory committee of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, Mrs. J. E. Morris, states that pamphlets about the achievements and capacities of the blind have been distributed to public schools. Posters and national publicity will draw public attention to the fact that blind people walk the streets of towns and cities.

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind and the Canadian Council for the Blind ask people to follow the ordinary rules of courtesy, with the added consideration necessary for lack of sight. A racing car motor startles a blind person as much as it does anyone else; bicyclists should let the blind cross in front of them.

### Propose Central Control On Plumbing, Drainage

Preparations are being made for the establishment of a centralized plumbing and drainage department for the municipalities in north York county. An early meeting is planned at which the details of the proposal, which is primarily concerned with the inspection and enforcement of plumbing and drainage standards under the new provincial code, and the licensing of plumbers to work in this area.

The proposal has been strongly endorsed by provincial department of health officials. Sam Dickey, Aurora acting on behalf of the department of health, plans to lay the full details of this proposed centralized plumbing and drainage department before interested municipal councils.

"I strongly urge municipalities which may be considering local licensing by-laws, to postpone action on them until this proposal has been thoroughly examined," said Mr. Dickey.

**TEMPERANCE MEETING**

The North York Temperance Federation will meet at 2.30 and 7 p.m. at Victoria Square United church.

**RED CROSS ANNUAL MEET**

The annual meeting of the Newmarket Red Cross will be held on February 14 at 3 p.m. in Trinity United church. The guest speaker will be Mrs. A. C. McKenzie, Beaverton, branch program supervisor. Mrs. McKenzie is a pleasing speaker and those who have heard her before will want to hear her again.

Melvin (Joe) Latremouille, Sutton, seen with his 15-months-old daughter, Lynne, was rescued from a body of drifting ice in Lake Simcoe Saturday night after his companion, Tom Porte, an Ojibway Indian of Virginia Bay, swam 100 yards to shore in icy waters to summon a rescue party. Latremouille and Porte had been fishing through the ice when strong winds separated them from shore ice. They burned their fishing shanty in a vain attempt to attract attention. Porte then stripped off most of his clothing and swam through the gap.

## Largest Membership-- Annual Report Of Trinity Church

One of the largest congregational meetings in many years at Trinity United church, Newmarket, was held at its annual meeting Monday night. Over 150 people attended a pot luck supper served by the women of the church under the leadership of Mrs. J. E. Morris. Annual reports were given from all groups in the church.

Rev. Henry Cotton was elected chairman of the meeting and A. F. Johns, secretary. The session reported that the number of new members during 1949 on profession of faith and by letter was 69, bringing the resident membership of the church to 828, the highest figure yet attained. The stewards' report by the chairman, K. G. Flett, indicated that the balance for the electrification of the church organ had been paid and that the board hopes to redecorate the church this year. H. W. Garrett, church treasurer, revealed total receipts to be $10,052 for local expenses with all accounts paid to date and a substantial balance on hand.

John E. Morris quoted the missionary and maintenance fund of $2,461. The Afternoon Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society, according to Mrs. J. A. Maitland, has 35 members and receipts of $529, not including a bale of new and used clothing valued at $345 sent to headquarters. Mrs. W. E. Walton, reporting for the Evangeline Auxiliary of the W.M.S., stated there were 39 members who raised $856, not including two bales valued at $187; nine boxes were sent to Britain. A total of $3,826 was raised by the missionary and maintenance fund and the W.M.S. groups.

The Woman's Association reported on the remodelling of the church kitchen at a cost of $1,129 which was fully paid. Total receipts were $1,316. Sunday-school superintendent, Dr. W. O. Noble, reported an enrolment of 237 with total receipts of $501. H. W. Fowler said that there was a church choir membership of 42 and junior choir membership of 46; receipts were $76.

T. R. Hilliard said that the average attendance at the 50-50 club was 45. Of the proceeds from the Leslie Bell Singers, $300 was donated to the artificial ice fund and $150 to the Emergency for Britain fund with a balance on hand of $76. Rev. Cotton referred to the boys' work under the leadership of H. Hugo and H. Nellis and said that between 50 and 60 Explorers and Trail

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## Coming Events

**Thursday, Feb. 2**—Euchre sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, at 8 p.m., in the Legion hall. Admission 35c. Refreshments. c2w4

**Friday, Feb. 3**—Dance in Mount Albert Community hall to Audrey Smith's orchestra. Admission, ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. c2w4

**Friday, Feb. 3** — Euchre in Queensville school sponsored by the Women's Institute. Good prizes. Lucky draw and lunch. Admission 35c. c2w4

**Saturday, Feb. 4**—Dance in Holland Landing hall sponsored by the firemen. Weir's orchestra. Admission 50c per person. c1w4

**Monday, Feb. 6**—Regular meeting of Scout and Guide mothers Auxiliary will be held in Scout hall at 8 p.m. Brownies will provide an interesting program. So show your interest in your boy or girl by your attendance. c1w5

**Wednesday, Feb. 8** — Bingo in town hall, Newmarket, under the auspices Newmarket Veterans' Association. Attendance prize $5. Jackpot $50. Share-the-wealth. 20 games 35c. c1w5

**Wednesday, Feb. 8** — Dance at parish hall, Kettleby, sponsored by Kettleby Community club. Leo Paxton's orchestra. Admission 50 cents person. c1w5

**Thursday, Feb. 9** — Euchre in St. John's school, sponsored by the Catholic Women's League, 8.15 p.m. Prizes and lunch. Admission 35c. c2w5

**Wednesday, Feb. 15** — Salvage collection by the Boy Scouts on the west side of town. **Sat., Feb. 18**, east side of town. All are urged to save papers and magazines for this drive. c3w5

**Wednesday, Feb. 15**—Old-time hoedown, sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, Br. 426, in the town hall at 9 p.m. Admission 50c. Charles VanZant's Orchestra. c2w5

**Friday, Feb. 17** — Newmarket Lions Club Valentine dance in the High Sheool auditorium. Music by Don Gilkes' 10-piece orchestra. $2 per couple. c3w5

**Friday, Feb. 24** — Bingo at St. John's school, Newmarket, 20 games, 2 cards for 35c. Special prizes. "Share-the-wealth". Keep this date open. c1w5

market. tf5

**Friday, Mar. 17** — Irish night, euchre, dance and draw under auspices of St. John's church. c7w5

**Friday, Apr. 28** — Bell Singers, sponsored by 50-50 Club in the United Church auditorium, Newmarket.

**Dance to Norm Burling** and his Kingsmen in the new Community hall at Bondhead hall every Wednesday. Will accommodate about 400 people. Modern and old tyme dancing. tf48

**Food Haven Inn**, outskirts of Bradford, specializing in chinese dishes. "Chicken in the nest", steaks, chops. Catering. Phone Bradford 244w. tf48

**Dance at Aurora High School** Auditorium every Saturday night. Admission 50 cents. tf40

**Dancing** every Saturday evening at Club 14, Newmarket. Max Boag and his orchestra. tf1

**Dance to Norm Burling** and his Kingsmen at Beeton Memorial auditorium every Friday night. Admission 75c and 50c. tf1

**Dance to Norm Burling** and his Kingsmen at Belhaven hall every Saturday night. Jack-pot and other prizes. Admission 50c. Cafeteria lunch. tf1

**Dancing each Friday** night in North Gwillimbury Memorial hall, sponsored by the Keswick Optimist Club. Admission 50c per person. Sutton orchestra. Cafeteria lunch. tf2

Tom Porte, an Ojibway Indian, swam 100 yards from the ice floe to summon help from the shore at the tip of Jackson's Point.

Larry Thomas, New Toronto, with his father, dragged a skiff across the ice in darkness and rescued Latremouille from the ice floe.

### Vets' Building School Continues at V.L.A.

The second class for instruction for veterans who plan to build homes under V.L.A. was held in Newmarket Tuesday night. Attendance and enthusiasm equalled the first meeting which was held at V.L.A., according to officials.

William Dunstan, Regional Building Supervisor, gave a lecture to the group using a blue print, a copy of which was supplied to each veteran. Mr. Dunstan has made plans to follow through the process of building a house at future lectures. In effect, he will build a house from the blue print lectures. Several wives of veterans attended the class and showed just as much interest in the proceedings.

Wm. Tulloch also spoke to the class, dealing with the necessary documentation in connection with building contracts, payments and plans. Mr. Tulloch is in charge of regional office construction administration and documentation.

Meetings will continue in the district at Newmarket, Barrie and Oshawa and the next meeting in Newmarket will be held Monday, Feb. 20, at 8 p.m. All veterans and their wives are invited by V.L.A. to attend.

### Made Chief of Staff New Oakville Hospital

Dr. Eric P. Soanes has been appointed chief of staff for the new Oakville Trafalgar Memorial hospital, it was announced last week.

Dr. Soanes as a boy lived in Aurora a number of years while his father, Rev. P. R. Soanes, was rector of Trinity Anglican church.

### IN THIS ISSUE:

**In this issue you'll find reports on Newmarket and Mount Albert Horticultural Societies as well as district news on page two. On page three there are stories on the county water supply, current drama club plays. On the editorial page Back Concession has a few words for Mr. Bromfield. Letters to the editor, An Aurora Opinion, and stories of farm interest are on page five. Page six is classified and on page seven there's a feature story about Mrs. Herman Bennils, and all the usual features are on the women's pages. The first of the small house plans appears on page ten with a talk on perennials, and the Canadian Plowmen Abroad. On page 11 is country news while sports coverage and columns are on pages 11 and 12.**

## Council To Obtain Estimated Costs On Public Bldg.

Plans for a municipal building in Newmarket are being considered by town council whereby the present town hall would be renovated and a new wing would be built on the south end of the building. The town engineer, Denne Bosworth, presented general plans for such a building at council meeting Monday night and council favored a resolution by Charles VanZant and Lorne Paynter that a committee be appointed to enquire into the cost of the project, with power to engage the services of an architect.

The original motion by councillors VanZant and Paynter requested consideration of costs for a new fire hall and police station but when the engineer's plans were submitted, they changed their resolution to include the complete municipal building.

Council also passed a resolution by the same councillors that the town purchase a quonset hut to house the equipment of the road and bridge department which is housed on the ground floor of the town hall.

The engineer's plans which were started last summer call for an additional wing on the south end of the hall to provide offices for the magistrate, town clerk, mayor and public health nurse. There would be a reception room and cash wicket for the town clerk. The ground floor of the present building would be completely cut off from the new wing, providing a magistrate's courtroom.

The engineer has utilized the basement of the town hall for the clerk's vault and an additional public health clinic room. Fire hall and garages are included at the south end of the building in these plans.

"From expert authority, we have learned that the town hall is structurally sound and would lend itself well to these renovations," said the engineer. "The old roof could be taken off and a flat roof replaced. The present windows would be altered and modernized and the building could take on a modern appearance according to standards of architecture."

"I would have no idea of holding up this plan; it is a wise and necessary move," said Deputy Reeve J. L. Spillette, "but if amalgamation of Toronto and the southern municipalities is to take place, maybe we could bring all this in at the same time and enable the construction of the building to be done at lower cost. There may be a change in county court and registry office location and we may require more room than these plans specify. For all we know, some of the costs could be subdizied by someone."

The engineer indicated that the present auditorium would have the same ceiling height with the roof alterations. The stage rooms, dressing rooms and wash rooms which are now on a level slightly below the second floor would be brought up to the second floor and the auditorium lengthened. The south wing plan calls for an addition measuring 50 feet by 53 feet. Some councillors said that the cost of an architect's complete estimate would be from $1,600 to $2,000.

Councillors also pointed out that the revenue from the sale of present municipal buildings, the town clerk's office and the fire hall buildings plus taxation revenue received from commercial locations replacing them would offset a large portion of the cost of a new municipal building.

## Whole County Hit By City Plan N. York Wants Facts

"We consider that we are an important part of York county and so far none of us in the county's northern municipalities have the facts and figures regarding the move toward amalgamation of Toronto and the county's southern municipalities," said Deputy-Reeve J. L. Spillette this morning.

Yesterday county commissioners Spillette and C. O. Moffatt were instrumental in the introduction of a resolution to obtain more figures in county council regarding the relation of the whole county to possible metropolitan annexation.

Last week, in Newmarket council, a motion by Mr. Spillette was passed to call a meeting of all the reeves and deputy-reeves of the northern municipalities, not included in annexation moves, to discuss the facts about annexation.

"Until we obtained more information there was not much we could do in such a meeting so that is the reason for some action through the county council," said Mr. Spillette this morning. The Toronto Area Committee which has had 12 members, representing the municipalities which surround Toronto, has had discussions on annexation but has not included representations from the northern municipalities.

According to Mr. Spillette, Premier Frost had refused representation from the northern municipalities but Arthur E. Bunnell, chairman of the committee, has since granted a listening brief to the northern municipalities so they may sit in on the committee. Mr. Spillette, who is a member of the listening brief, will attend meetings next Tuesday and Friday.

"Along with the listening brief and action through county council toward a fact finding committee to obtain financial, geographical and other data on the effect of annexation to the county as a whole and not just the southern municipalities, we will have obtained some information to proceed with a meeting of the northern municipalities," said Mr. Spillette.

"There are bound to be repetitions and duplications of services between the county municipalities all of which are concerned and when we obtain more information about them, we will know where we stand," he said.

## 1,300 Fill Aurora Arena For Official Opening Saturday

A capacity crowd of 1,300 people filled Aurora arena Saturday night to mark the official opening since the installation of artificial ice. The throng filled every seat and every stairway in the building in marking the climax of months of work.

Mayor Alex. Bell, along with 25 other gentlemen, consisting of members of the town council, recreation commission, representatives of various hockey leagues, members of the rink commission and representatives of the hockey teams in Aurora, officially opened the arena.

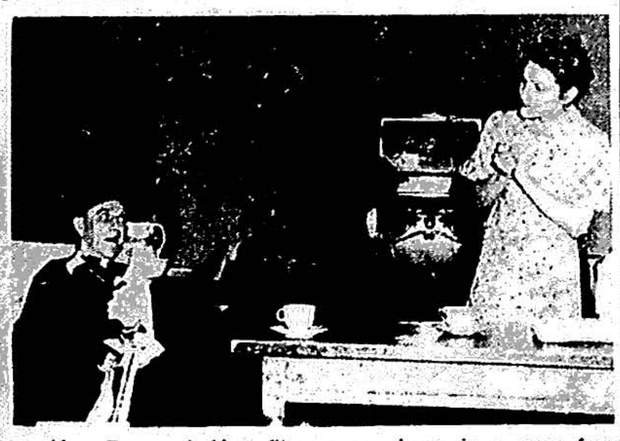
Acting as master of ceremonies, F. P. Underhill, chairman of the rink commission, plauded the people who assisted in making the artificial ice rink in Aurora possible. Mr. Underhill said that he thought the completed job was an ideal example of the progressive town that Aurora is. He added that ten or 20 years ago, no one in Aurora thought of artificial ice and once the idea came to the townsfolk, it took less than a year to begin and complete the job. Speaking on behalf of the rink commission, Mr. Underhill said that Aurora arena was the municipal rink and requested that everyone make it his home.

In declaring the rink officially open, Mayor Bell said, "Now it is here, enjoy it and support it." Dr. Crawford Rose, ex-mayor of Aurora, and Donald Glass, chairman of the recreation commission, also spoke briefly and both men expressed their gratitude to the rink commission for their hard work.

Big feature of the highly successful opening was the figure skating display rendered by three members of the Toronto Skating club, Sally Blogg, Harold Hartley and Jack Cox.

Harold Hartley, a young colored boy, thrilled the crowd with his grace on the ice. Harold skated two solos and both times his exhibition of rhythm, balance and precision entranced the crowd.

Blonde and beautiful Sally Blogg skated to "Night and Day" and "Ain't She Sweet". Jack Cox presented a much different style of skating with shaky legs, weak ankles and no front teeth.



Alex. Eves and Alma Stevens are shown in a scene from Robertson Davies' "Overlaid", directed by J. O. Dales, one of the two one-act plays being produced at the town hall Friday and Saturday nights by the Newmarket Dramatic club. The other play is the Dark Lady of the Sonnetts by George Bernard Shaw and is directed by John Kudelka. Cast of the Shaw play consists of Vera Brown, Fern Rusnell, Jack Struthers and Harry Noble. Also on stage in "Overlaid" is Dr. W. O. Noble and voices are by Kay Kudelka, Mike McMorrow and Mayno Taylor. Children must be accompanied by adults at the performances.

### Era and Express Begins Small House Plans Series

**Beginning this week The Era and Express is presenting a new feature to its readers. It's a series of small house plans for the benefit of prospective home builders. By filling in and returning the attached coupon additional information can be obtained without cost. If the reader then wants blueprints for any of the houses in this series, they are available at a cost of $9.50 per set.**

## Shirley Andrews Joins Show With Barbara Ann Scott

A Newmarket professional figure skater, Shirley Andrews, has joined the ice show which currently features Barbara Ann Scott. Last Friday, Miss Andrews joined Skating Sensations at Oshawa and at the present time is in Ottawa with the show.

Skating Sensations compelted a tour in the west before coming east last week and after Ottawa, it will travel to the Maritimes to play in eastern Canadian cities in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

Miss Andrews' mother, Mrs. C. A. Andrews, 78 Eagle St., Newmarket, said that her daughter had auditioned previously with the ice show and was called again for an audition last Friday. She joined the professional group following the audition.

Miss Andrews has spent several years of dilligent effort and has been watched by Newmarket citizens as both an amateur and a professional figure skater. Recently she has been appearing occasionally with professional groups and now takes on skating as a full time occupation this season.

She is a graduate of Newmarket high school. Since graduation she has been employed at the office of Mrs. V. R. MacNaughton.

According to Mrs. Andrews, Barbara Ann Scott is on loan to Skating Sensations until the end of February. It is not known where the group will tour after that date.

# 100 At Annual Meet Mt. Albert Hort. Soc.

Mount Albert Horticultural Society held its annual meeting and supper in the United church school room on Thursday evening, the first number for the evening being a fine supper enjoyed by over 100 people. Then president Harold Kurtz, saying the membership was 75, in a short speech outlined the work done for the year and also the task ahead of the society, that of cleaning up the old cemetery on the hill which should commence in the spring by getting the ground in shape to summer fallow it for a year before a great deal can be accomplished.

Mr. Kurtz also asked the members if they did not intend to work not to take an office. The treasurer reported $193.08 receipts and $140.10 expenditures, leaving $57.98. Forty-seven paid their membership. A quartet of the gay 90's and a modern one were tied in their competition, so finished by all singing together. Margaret Leek played a nice piano solo and Mrs. Donald Stiver sang in her usual fine style "My Home Town" and "I Lost My Sunshine".

Mrs. H. Harmon gave a short sketch of the Society which was organized March 24, 1925, with the first president, the late Mrs. L. Brown, and the first secretary-treasurer, the late W. F. R. Bohme. It was sponsored by the Women's Institute and Mrs. Brown, who had recently come from a town where they had a fine horticultural society. It has surely created a desire to grow flowers and beautify their homes in the citizens of Mount Albert.

The park on the hill known as Birchard Gardens was the work of the Horticultural Society, also the flower beds in different parts of the town. the window shows through the summer and fall show are a few more of the many nice things which have added to the beauty of the village.

Mr. Fred Bunting of the Dounham Nursery Co. gave splendid pictures on flowers, shrub planting and dwarf fruit trees with fine explanations of all these. The nominating committee brought in the following names which were accepted: pres., Karl Lees; first vice pres., Gordon Knott; second vice pres., Mrs. Percy Walker; new directors, S. Harper, Mrs. Steeper, Mrs. Anglin, Mrs. Knott, Mrs. Franklin for two years; auditors, Ken Ross, W. R. Steeper. Directors having one year to serve, Mr. T. Allison, Mrs. H. Price, Mrs. J. Rolling, Mrs. Jas. Thompson, Mrs. G. Walsh.

## MOUNT PISGAH

The monthly meeting of the Mount Pisgah Women's Association will meet at the home of Mrs. Garnet Evans on Wednesday, Feb. 8. Devotional will be in charge of Mrs. George Leary and the election of officers for 1950 will also take place.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Frank Minns is home from St. Michael's hospital where she underwent a minor operation. Reports are that she is fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Deeks and Dianne, Guelph, are spending a few days with the Browns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, Toronto, are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Botham, and family.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Bill Yakes is in very poor health and in a Toronto hospital.

We also heard that Mrs. Tate is in York County hospital having hurt her leg in a bad fall.

To all the sick we wish a quick recovery.

Mrs. Edgar Baycroft, Toronto, was a weekend visitor of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Baycroft and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Evans and Donnie visited Mrs. B. Roslin at Newmarket on Saturday.

Some of our local boys are playing hockey for the Vandorf club this winter. All their games are played in the Queensville rink. They were the winners by a score of 3-0 over Queensville on Monday night of this week. Next scheduled games are Vandorf at Pine Orchard Feb. 2, Keswick at Vandorf Feb. 6 and Vandorf at Mount Albert Feb. 7.

Don't forget the old time and modern dancing to Charlie VanZant's orchestra, sponsored by the Junior Farmers, at Vandorf hall, Friday, Feb. 3. Admission 50c.

"Gospel" means good news.

## BLIND MOTHER HAS FOURTH CHILD, DOES HER OWN HOUSEWORK

—Central Press Canadian

A mother who has never seen her husband or children, Mrs. Edward Stevens, 36, Oakville, gave birth to her fourth child recently. Seen with husband, Teddy, seven, Kenneth, four, Lynda, two, and baby Bryan, she lost her sight and right hand in a percussion cap explosion when she was six. She does all housework and is the "best cook in the whole world," according to her husband.

## WILLOW BEACH

Mrs. Violet Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. O. Patenaude and Violet attended the diamond wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rigler of Keswick, then spent the remainder of the day with Mr. and Mrs. Acil Chapman, Willow Beach.

Mrs. J. McMahon and son, Bill, spent Sunday at their cottage at Churchill road.

Mr. Wilfred Graves spent the weekend with his sister, Violet Graves.

Mr. Murray Sinclair spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sinclair.

## KESWICK

The Fathers' Night held Wednesday, Jan. 25, at the Memorial Arena was a great success. The club acted as host to 25 of the local fathers. A short address was given by Harley Morton on the work of the club. The guest speaker was Mr. Tommy Kendall, Toronto, whose talk on Optimism and boys' work was of great interest and value to all present.

On Wednesday, Feb. 28, the club is giving a picture show on wild life and a talk on game conservation. This has been arranged through Mr. VanWyck and the department of lands and forests. The public is cordially invited. Time, 8 p.m. No charge.

# Mount Albert News

The Sunday-school will hold its at home in the United church on Friday evening, Feb. 10, at 6.15, which will take the form of a pot-luck supper after which there will be moving pictures and games and diplomas will be given to the pupils winning them.

Mrs. Smythe and John, North Bay, have been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harold Kurtz.

The Cheerio Group met at the home of Mrs. Vera Weller on Saturday evening with Mrs. W. Couper in the chair. Marion Mitchell and Vera Weller had charge of the devotional. Margaret Cunningham gave a couple of short readings. The ladies were informed they could soon commence decorating the basement of the church. Mrs. H. Harmon, Mrs. M. Stokes and Mrs. Walsh were named a committee to add to their number and get estimates on the work on painting. Mrs. Stewart Thompson gave a very fine paper on the life and work of Jean Francois Millet, a famous French painter. She mentioned several of his pictures, The Gleaners, The Sower, The Angelus, The Reapers, and The Man With the Hoe," which are among the world's best paintings and explained what was expressed in these. Her talk was a real lesson in art. A lovely lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

The C.G.I.T. will hold an open meeting next Friday evening, Feb. 3, in the Sunday-school room at 7.30 p.m. when there will be a quiz, "Know Your Church," also a 20-minute film. Please try to attend as you will enjoy meeting with the girls.

Mr. Doug Ross who has been employed in the Dominion bank here for some time has been transferred to Parkdale branch in Toronto as teller and Carl Smith is the new junior.

Mrs. W. J. Rynard, Zephyr, is visiting Mrs. Ethel Harmon.

Mrs. Herb. Shields has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. Armstrong, Burlington, for a couple of months.

Mrs. Everton Quibell has been in Western hospital, Toronto, for an operation and treatment.

The Junior Red Cross of the public school held a baking and candy sale at Mainprize's store on Saturday and realized $35 which will be sent to the Sick Children's hospital and The March of Dimes fund.

The Mount Albert Women's Institute will meet on Thursday, Jan. 9, at 2.30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Jas. Thompson and the hostesses are Mrs. H. Longhurst, Mrs. J. Case, Mrs. A. Harrison. Roll call, "Health code for children." Program committee, Mrs. K. Mitchell, Mrs. Elsie Crozier. Speaker on health unit.

The junior choir under its leader, Miss Campbell, lead the music at the morning service of the United church on Sunday when they sang very nicely Finlandia and Brother James Air (Marosa). Mrs. W. Couper was at the organ.

## MOUNT PLEASANT

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard spent Monday evening with Mrs. Barbara Robertson at Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hopkins spent Sunday in Keswick at the home of Mr. Joel Hopkins.

Miss Isabelle Moulds, Toronto, was home over the weekend.

Mrs. Everette Yorke, Newmarket, was at home over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Yorke.

Mr. Gordon Stiles and friend were at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stiles, and attended the diamond wedding of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Rigler, at Keswick.

Mr. Roy Traviss has been serving on jury the last two weeks.

Mr. Bernard Davidson and Mr. Allister Lockie attended an agricultural meeting in Newmarket last Wednesday.

Dr. James Berry took his church service on Sunday.

## SHARON

The United church service at the hall next Sunday will be a girl and boy service. Mr. Warren would like the boys and girls to be present at 7.30 p.m. Sunday-school at 10.30 a.m.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association of the United church will be held at the home of Mrs. Russel Donaldson on Thursday, Feb. 9, at 2.30 p.m. Lunch committee, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. F. McLeod, Mrs. Fred Gartshore. All the ladies are welcome at this meeting.

Mrs. McNeish, Richmond Hill, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vanstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Jones spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Case, Mount Albert.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall were Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Slickter and David, Mrs. Norman Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wood, Whitby, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnson and Barton, Bogarttown.

## VANDORF

Congratulations, Vandorf. The score was Vandorf 3, Queensville 0. Their next game will be with Pine Orchard on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cooke and daughter, Donna, and Miss June Harbinson, all of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Richardson and family. The occasion was Edward Richardson's 21st birthday.

Miss Joyce Sleeth has returned home from York County hospital.

There are several cases of mumps at Vandorf.

Mrs. H. A. White and Mrs. Grant Morley and Billie had dinner last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Billbrough and children of Aurora.

Miss Betty Richardson spent the weekend with Miss Margaret Armstrong, Yonge St., Armitage.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Baber, Basil, Jack and Harry attended the Baber-Marrs wedding while spending the weekend with Mrs. Jack Baber and family of Burlington.

Mr. George Carroll, Toronto, visited his sister, Miss Louise Carroll, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Willson, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Komar and Mrs. C. Bostwick had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Harry West on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith and sons of Aurora and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Willson had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Steven Komar.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, Johnny and Barbara, Mr. Alvin Irwin and Robert visited Mr. and Mrs. Ewen, Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver and Mrs. Percy Allin attended the annual Jersey Breeders' Association banquet at the Royal York hotel, Toronto, on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morley and Billie had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brillinger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Babcock, John and Mary, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Switzer.

# Speaker Applauds Hort. Soc. Effort

John F. Clark, horticultural fieldman in the provincial department of agriculture, congratulated the Newmarket Horticultural Society on its work during the past year when he spoke at the annual meeting of the organization which was held in the town hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 24. Mr. Clark said, "The Newmarket Horticultural Society is in reality a service club. Its full-rounded program embraces each point to be considered in planning the year's work. I consider it almost perfect."

Over 80 gathered for the meeting and among those present were members of the Home and School Association who were the guests of the evening. The attendance, although small compared to previous meetings, was very good considering the terrible icy condition of the streets on that night.

The meeting opened with the King. Mrs. Gordon Downward was at the piano. The president, A. A. Reinke, welcomed the members and guests and introduced Mrs. Ted Mitchell, president of the visiting club, to the gathering. Mr. Eugene McCaffrey told of the objects of a horticultural society and the president announced the winner of the T. Eaton trophy to be Wilmot Hill who had a total of 79 points.

The speaker was introduced by Howard Hugo and thanked by Mrs. Ted Mitchell who took the opportunity to thank the Horticultural Society for having included the Home and School in on such an excellent meeting.

Mr. Clark said that he was very glad that the Newmarket society recognized the importance of co-operation between town organizations and commended them on the move. Members of the society have been guest speakers at the meetings of other organizations this year. Mr. Clark said that he was impressed by the report on the year's activities presented by the secretary and drew attention to the fact that with only 200 members the society had handled over $800 in revenues this past year. He commended the board for its excellent financial statement.

Mr. Clark said that a horticultural society fills a great need in any community. It does work which might be over-looked by other organizations. "What other club would give leadership in a clean-up week unless it was one which was interested in beautification? In Port Elgin the society sponsors an annual clean-up and even the back yards in that community reflect it," he said.

Mr. Clark spoke on perennials and his very fine talk was illustrated with colored slides.

## GLENVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doan and family motored to Collingwood for the weekend visiting Mrs. Doan's sisters.

Mr. Norman Anning visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anning, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cutting and Gayle were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Cutting's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cutting.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Newton visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cutting on Sunday.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Wm Wilson is ill. She is convalescing at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wesley.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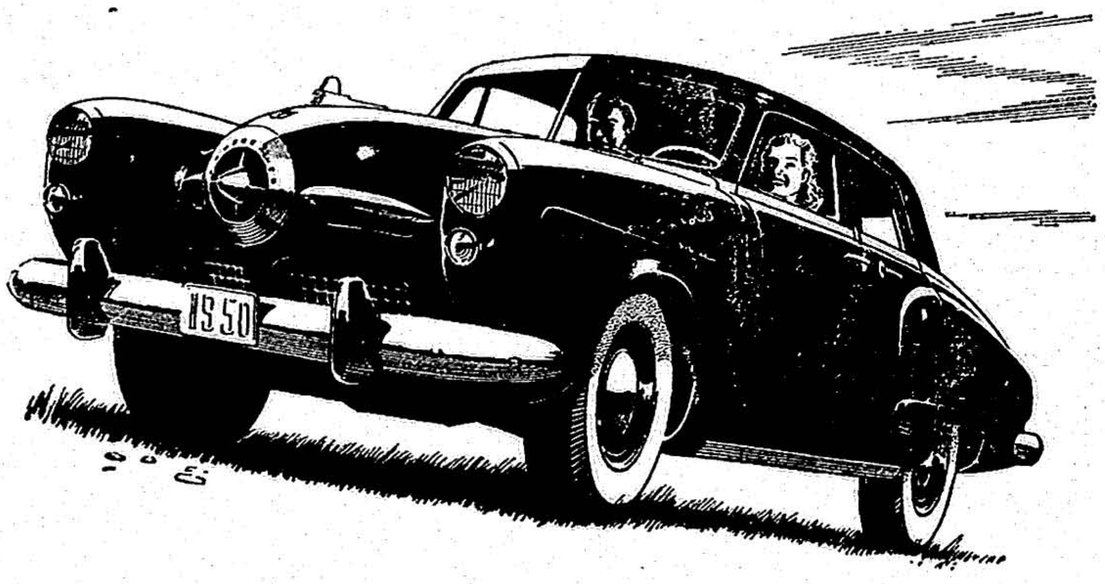

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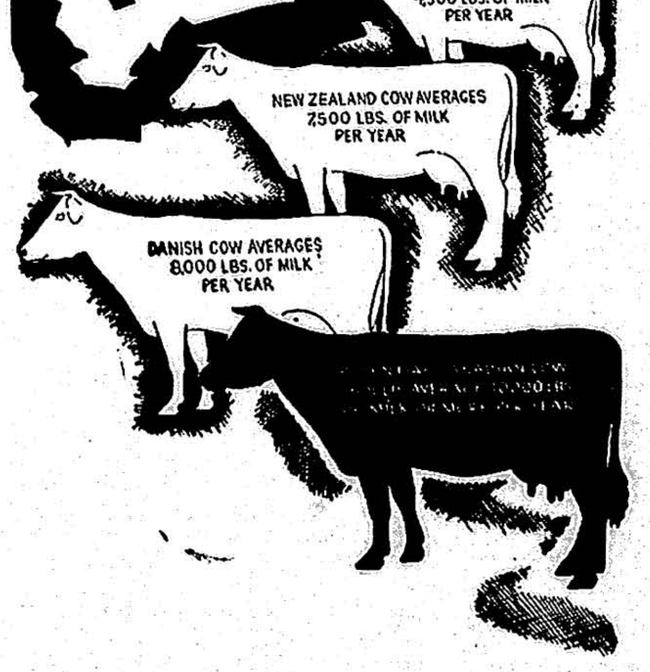


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## HOPE

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Andrews, Hilda and Helen spent spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stevens, Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Walker, Donald, Gordon and Anne spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dewsbury, Richmond Hill.

Mrs. Robert Graves is improving slowly after being confined to bed with pneumonia.

Mrs. Longford Pegg and her mother, Mrs. Shields, spent the weekend visiting relatives in Toronto.

Mrs. William Carson, Mrs. Ewart Patton, King, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Robert Graves and Mrs. Howard Pegg.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Andrews, Hilda and Helen visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stickwood and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Stickwood on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watts and Carol had dinner on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stickwood.

Miss Amy Gibson spent the weekend at her home.

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With our sidewalks dry and bare of snow all last week it was easy for folks to get around and attend the various forms of entertainment which are arranged for us in "Coming Events" and provided by different groups.

But first I want to hand Newmarket Main St. a bouquet. You know it is always gratifying and pleasant to hear compliments about your home town and why "hide your light under a bushel" so I am handing out this small item, which certainly pleased me. I had visitors here from Oshawa and (I speak from a woman's standpoint). I was delighted to hear her comment on our attractive shop windows. The man of the party nodded his head and agreed with her.

Now did it ever occur to you to compare Main St. as regards our store windows with those of other towns our size? Well, I have often written about it, so you know how I feel on the subject. But to have a person from Oshawa, a place much larger than our good old town, make such favorable comments, quite unsolicited, was indeed pleasant to hear.

Just think a bit, and call to mind our shop windows, so clear and shining—the whole length of Main St. No wonder we love to "window shop." Betty appreciates them, as you can tell from her weekly column.

Take for instance, this last week, the florist shop opposite the post office—they had a huge jar of forsythia all in full bloom—it was most beautiful and with the lovely flowers and other decorations, their window was most attractive. (And I don't want you to think just because it was golden color that I admired it so much, even if I do love all shades of that color from tangerine to pale lemon and canary yellow). All the windows up and down Main St. from the Corner Cupboard on Davis Dr. to the restaurant on the corner of Water St. are really splendid! I'd like to continue this interesting subject but I want to say a few words about the delightful art exhibit as well.

**Art Show**

Anyone, who for any reason whatever, failed to visit the town hall either Saturday afternoon or evening or Sunday night up to 10 o'clock, certainly missed a wonderful "feast of good things."

Besides the Arts Club, there were exhibits by the Photographic Club as well — and it would be hard to say which created most interest The club has such an attractive way of displaying the pictures—and the lighting is perfect. It means plenty of work for someone to create that air of restfulness and efficiency, which always makes our art exhibition so pleasant. Of course, tea and music add to the enjoyment.

As always local scenes were thoroughly appreciated — and Fairy Lake in both painting and photograph, came in for a good share of attention. How we all love our little Fairy Lake, and rejoice to once more see it as of yore, full to the brim, and last week rushing over the dam as if it were spring. Among other subjects I noticed one of the northern lights, and I thought it was unique, while delightful, for I am always watching the north east sky at nights for that interesting phenomenon.

One exhibit attracted a good deal of attention, and that was the color photography by Mr. B. Colclough. As they were mostly local they were doubly interesting. The coloring was something marvellous — you would have to see it for yourself. My pen fails to do it justice. The paintings were, as always, something wonderful and Newmarket is justly proud of her artistic members. There were quite a few exhibitors in the photographic Club display—and many and varied were the subjects.

There was even a study of one of our "town fathers," Rudy Renzius, and as we stood admiring it, who should appear but the subject himself—so we suggested he stand beside it, so we could compare. There was also a wonderful photo of a night-blooming cereus—words of mine can't describe the ethereal beauty of that picture. In another group was a photo of the beautiful Anglican church at Holland Landing, several lovely views of Fairy Lake, and one of the wrecked bridge on Water St. which recalled the cloud burst of a good many years ago, but still fresh in our memories, for Newmarket was as near being flooded out as we want to be. One hates to feel that that wonderful exhibition isn't still there to go and visit again and again.

Congratulations to each and every exhibitor for the annual art exhibition. Long may you all be spared to create such loveliness.

# Urges Province Use Lake Simcoe Water For North Of County

Reeve Winfred Timbers, Markham twp., urged the provincial government to consider using water from Lake Simcoe for the northern section of York county at a county council meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 25.

The same suggestion was made by Dr. L. W. Dales when he was mayor of Newmarket several years ago. Newmarket is now adequately supplied with water by the addition of a new well which is at present sound.

Commenting on the $200,000 Thornhill fire, Reeve Timbers said: "It is quite apparent the water shortage was the cause of the disaster. The province should consider a Lake Simcoe water project."

He said Markham township had several areas that lacked adequate water supplies and suggested the province could finance a Lake Simcoe scheme for the municipalities, with them paying for it on a gallonage basis.

"We have tried to secure water from North York," the reeve continued, "but look where they are. We may have to turn north for our water."

Reeve Edward Reeve of Markham village agreed with Reeve Timbers' proposal and said such a project could serve 5,000,000 people. "Water mains could supply all municipalities at a reasonable rate," he added.

Reeve J. A. Greene, Richmond Hill, said Lake Simcoe water would benefit Newmarket, Aurora, Richmond Hill, Thornhill, Lansing, Willowdale and other smaller communities.

"Taking water from Lake Simcoe would not cost as much on a co-operative plan as individual municipalities would pay for finding new water sources and developing them," he said.

Mr. Greene said some thought might be given to obtaining water from several small lakes which dot the central section of the county. He said Bond Lake Lake Wilcox and Musselman's Lake, which are fed by springs, might be a source for municipalities in the immediate neighborhood.

Reeve A. A. Cook, Aurora, also suggested using Bond Lake and Lake Wilcox. "They certainly are worthy of investigation," he declared.

He said Bond Lake could be as suitable a source of water as Lake Simcoe under a proper system, as it is almost the halfway point in the county.

The airline distance from Thornhill to Cook's bay, the closest point on Lake Simcoe, is approximately 30 miles.

# Reviewer Assists Drama Club Plays

Newmarket Dramatic club will present two one-act plays, "Overlaid" by the Peterborough playwright, Robertson Davies, and "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets" by George Bernard Shaw, in the town hall on Friday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 3 and 4.

These plays were presented at a special showing on Sunday afternoon before Mr. E. Sterndale Bennett who is reviewing district plays for the Central Ontario Drama League festival committee and was visiting Newmarket to consider the possible entry of either or both plays of the Newmarket group in the coming drama festival. Mr. Bennett still had many plays to view at other clubs and of course did not disclose the fact which vitally concerned all who were present. Namely, had the Newmarket offerings passed the entrance tests. But, though he did not give any indication, Mr. Bennett reviewed the work of the local group. He gave the players many helpful hints and pointers by which a polished product would result and assisted each character individually with some of his problems. The final decisions will be learned within the next few weeks, but before that time Newmarket residents will have the opportunity to see and enjoy these two very excellent plays for themselves.

"Overlaid" has a Canadian setting and portrays a familiar scene. Sometimes for humorous purposes the characters are slightly exaggerated. The second play provides great contrast in setting, plot and even in the style of the acting which it demands the grand manner. All in all, with music being provided by the local orchestra, it should prove to be a fine evening.

In the former play, directed by Joseph Dales, the leading roles are taken by Alex. Eves, Alma Stephens and Bill Noble. Backstage voices, whose owners are not seen, belong to Kay Kudelka, Mike McMorrow and Mayno Taylor. John Kudelka is directing Shaw's play with Vera Brown, Fern Rusnell, Jack Struthers and Harry Noble as the cast.

Fred Hagan, head of the general course of Ontario College of Art, designed the set and costumes for the latter play and the actors, working from his sketches, prepared their costumes. When you realize that this play is in an Elizabethan theme you will understand why Mr. Bennett commented favorably on backdrop and costumes. Mr. Hagan painted the backdrop and in the case of the Beefeater's tunic which was made of burlap, he painted the strips so that the exact colors desired could be obtained.

Stage manager is Don Cummings who was assisted by Jack Fisher. Various other members of the club gave assistance in prompting with costumes, make-up and scenery.

## Create Disturbance Aurora Four Fined $20

Appearing before Magistrate O. S. Hollinrake Friday morning, four Aurora men were fined $20 and cost when they were convicted of creating a disturbance. The charge followed a fight at a local restaurant on Jan. 21.

In announcing sentence, Magistrate Hollinrake told the men that they lived in a pleasant community and to stop acting like fools. "You are not teenagers," he said.

## Carrying Revolver Charge, Bail $1,000

Charged with carrying a revolver, Patrick Walsh, alias Danny O'Connor, Aurora, was remanded for one week when he appeared in police court in Newmarket Friday. Walsh was returned to Don Jail in Toronto where he spent most of last week following his arrest Tuesday. Bail was set at $1,000.

Walsh was arrested on January 24, by police officers, Constable Wm. Langman and Chief Fisher Dunham during the investigation of some travellers cheques. He was arrested in a local business house.

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## Pages from the Editor's Notebook

A friend, recently over from England and now working in Toronto, spent Sunday with us. He was somewhat concerned, emotionally caught between resentment and bewilderment. It was brought about directly by his accent. "I'm almost afraid to open my mouth any more," he told us earnestly.

We attempted comfort. "In another couple of years you will talk just like any other Canadian," we assured him. "It's not that," he told us. "It's not that at all. People hear me talk, know I'm an Englishman, then begin to curse me for taking their jobs."

Our friend explained in detail. As talk of unemployment has increased, he has found a deep sense of insecurity among city workers. "They are beginning to resent us immigrants as workers who have taken the jobs they might have had. They make all kinds of accusations in this respect. They say we do the same job for less money, work twice as hard, in general shoot the established order forty different ways."

"You're kidding," we said. "Deadly serious," he replied.

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The prime minister has appointed Mr. Walter Harris to head up the new ministry of citizenship and immigration. Mr. Harris says that "Canada can support a population of 30,000,000. A larger population is one of Canada's greatest needs." We don't imagine Mr. Harris will be very popular with our friend's critics. Organized labor will likely oppose any sort of a program to bring more people to Canada, particularly with unemployment growing.

What seems to be forgotten by those opposing immigration is that Canada needs a larger domestic market to which to sell its agricultural surpluses and its manufactured goods. Furthermore, if the policy of "screened" immigration is continued, it will include people who will make jobs for Canadians or their fellow immigrants. That is equally important with providing a large domestic market. These immigrants are not all pick and shovel workers. They include trained office workers, small tradesmen, professional men, businessmen, the kind of people in short who will contribute to the economy of the country.

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Our friend has been very zealous about learning of his new home. He gave the new citizenship legislation a thorough study and so was able to correct a native Canadian who, hearing that unemployed D.P.'s could apply for unemployment insurance benefits after a year, complained they were being accepted as citizens.

"I had one brush with the unemployment insurance office," he added reminiscently. "When I got off the plane, they told me to register at the office on Bay St. I went there. As soon as I opened my mouth, the clerk, a woman, let me have it. 'You ought to be ashamed of yourself, coming over here and taking jobs from these Canadians' and she pointed to a queue of men lined before another desk. Never did register. Told her what I thought of her and walked out. Advertised for a job in the papers, had one three days later.

"Queer business, though. She was the employee of the government which was doing its best to encourage us to come to Canada. When I get here, she bawls me out."

## From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

**January 30, 1925**

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan King, Keswick, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Wednesday. One hundred attended the dinner held at the Simkincoe hotel, Jackson's Point. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbs and Sir William Mulock, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Craig, Leamington, Mr. and Mrs. John Marritt, Keswick, who celebrated their golden wedding in December, and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morton who celebrated theirs four years ago.

The first spell of real cold weather struck Newmarket on Monday morning and continued for three days. It was 17 below zero on Monday, 25 below on Tuesday and Wednesday, 34 below.

Messrs. G. A. Binns, E. S. Cody and Fred Allan took part in the bonspeil at Barrie this week.

The ladies' auxiliary of Christ church, Roche's Point, held its annual meeting on Wednesday. The officers elected were: pres., Mrs. J. Badland; vice pres., Miss I. Hunt; sec., Mrs. G. Langridge; treas., Rev. R. S. Ferguson.

Fifty young ladies were entertained at a children's party at the Methodist parsonage recently. Everyone came dressed as a child and the prize, a doll, was won by Marjory Lloyd and Marjory Taylor dressed as twins.

Over 1,000 people attended the hockey game between Newmarket intermediate O.H.A. and Markham on Thursday. Newmarket defeated Markham 10-3. Players for the town were: goal, Harmon; defence, Epworth and McCaffrey; centre, Turan; wings, Murray and Mollenhauer; subs, Billings and Hugo.

The W.I. held an "at home" at the U.F.O. clubrooms last Friday. Those taking part in the pantomime, "Annie Laurie", were Marion Gibney, Mattie Wallace, Dorothy Moore, Verna Duncan, Violet Brandon and Miss Johnston.

**February 2, 1900**

Mr. T. Somerville has the contract for carrying a daily mail to Glenville. He started on Monday. The post office is at the grist mill.

Mr. Rock Linton, son of Mr. Wm. Linton, Aurora, has volunteered for service in South Africa in Lord Strathcona's company. Mr. Linton went to the North West five years ago and spent most of that time ranching.

Mr. Elgin Perrin sent a collection of Buff Wyandottes to the fair at Brantford last week and won three firsts, one second, one third and two specials.

Miss Nellie Holladay, Newmarket, has been added to the public school staff at King City and public school extension work is being taken up.

The carnival held at the arena last Friday was not well attended because of the cold, stormy weather. The prizewinners were: Orvid Eves, Miss Blanche Clifton, J. Epworth and Seymour Eves.

Mr. Levi Rogers, who was residing in the house formerly occupied by Rev. Canon Ramsay on D'Arcy St., has purchased the brick cottage on Yonge St. just south of the Industrial Home and moved in Wednesday.

The Newmarket curling club beat the Richmond Hill club by a score of 38-32 at Richmond Hill on Wednesday.

Mr. John Blizzard, the photographer, received a letter on Monday from his great-grandmother, Mrs. Amy Blizzard, New Brunswick, who is 108 years old.

Mr. R. A. Evans, Northwest hotel, Winnipeg, formerly of North York, has invented and patented a bicycle wheel. It has solid rubber tires and leather direct spokes.

Mr. J. A. Burgess, Bradford, has his acetylene plant now in operation and on Saturday evening illuminated several of the stores for the first time.

Mr. A. Love has been appointed assessor for Aurora for the present year.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By STANLEY

# The Editorials:

## Metropolitan Area Talks

What will happen to the northern municipalities of York county if the metropolitan scheme goes through as it seems it will? Public interest has been generally directed towards the fate of the municipalities included within the metropolitan area. Until Deputy-Reeve J. L. Spillette took the lead in drawing attention to it last week, no one appeared to realize the effect the scheme might have on municipalities outside the area.

The municipalities included within the area are the heaviest contributors towards York county revenues. The northern municipalities share only 13 percent of the county assets and liabilities at the present time. Would the municipalities outside the metropolitan area be able to continue as a county unit in event of the passage of the metropolitan scheme? Mr. Spillette has proposed that the northern municipalities get together and find out. "We want to get all the figures we can . . . and decide whether we are for or against the annexation of the southern municipalities by Toronto," Mr. Spillette said.

Urgency is lent to Mr. Spillette's proposal of talks between the northern municipalities by Premier Frost's admonitions to metropolitan area municipalities to hurry. He suggests that there be a start upon the process of unification by 1951 which indicates the foregone conclusion that the decision to amalgamate has been made, that only the details have to be ironed out. If the northern municipalities are to have any say, they must act quickly.

## Decentralization Is Answer

We cannot admit that the metropolitan area is Toronto's only hope of a solvent future. Bigness compounded, no matter how palliative it may be immediately, is not the answer to Toronto's difficulties. In the years to come, the same difficulties which plague the city now and which force it to grasp at neighboring municipalities in its distress, will return to plague it again.

The concentration of a million people in one area is wrong. Toronto's very difficulties prove it's wrong. The fact that industry fled the city for the municipalities which are now to be annexed proves that it's wrong.

It is militarily wrong: a big city is a vulnerable target for air attack, particularly with radioactive bombs. It is socially wrong: a big city means gangs and mob violence; it means a constant tension of the nerves of its inhabitants; it means an increasing dependence upon the other man's services so that when those services are halted by disaster the citizens are helpless. It is economically wrong: a big city means the constant increase of debt as expense climbs; it means taxation to the extreme; it means an increase in the cost of goods produced in the city, of services provided in the city.

Yet the prophets of bigness talk of a city population of two million within a few years.

There is only one cure for Toronto's sickness. The city must be quarantined, its growth halted. Government assistance, if necessary, should be given not to encouraging size but to discouraging it, to decentralize. There is the only answer, decentralization, the breaking of bigness into smallness, into self-contained, self-financed municipalities. If the provincial government were to devote itself to a policy of decentralization instead of annexation, it would far better serve the people.

## Hog Producers Act

The York County Hog Producers last week endorsed a proposal for an agency which could market pork products abroad. It is a step in the right direction. The difficulties of such a practice now are considerable. York county farmers, for example, grow hogs only. They do not process them into pork products. It is not likely that the packers would permit a farm agency to commit them to overseas contracts. If that sort of selling is practical, the packers, we are sure, would much prefer to do it themselves. But this is a detail, one which might be solved in time.

The important fact is that the hog producers are evidently prepared to sell their products themselves and without reliance upon state selling. Whether this is because they recognize that state marketing in principle is bad for the producer, or because they are fed up with the results of government selling, we do not know. It may be that they simply feel they can do a better job. Whatever the reason, their way is the way of the salvation.

## Aqueducts and Conservation

Some years ago; Dr. L. W. Dales, then mayor of Newmarket, suggested that the time was not far away when the northern municipalities of York county would be piping water from Lake Simcoe. Last week, Reeve Winfred Timbers of Markham township echoed the suggestion in county council. Reeve A. A. Cook, Aurora, added that Bond Lake and Lake Wilcox might also be considered as potential water sources.

How practical these suggestions are, no one can say until they are fully explored but as the water shortage becomes a matter of increasing concern, they offer alternatives to Lake Ontario and artesian wells, the usual sources of supply. The suggestions appear extreme at first glance. The cost of an aqueduct and its arteries to serve the municipalities off its immediate path would be immense. Those who suggest such an aqueduct are quite aware of this. The fact that they make the suggestion indicates how serious the water shortage is.

This willingness to face heavy costs should make the argument on behalf of water conservation more acceptable. For a fraction of the sum spent on an aqueduct, a conservation program could be inaugurated which would not only maintain existing wells but make the development of new ones practical. Then, perhaps, the aqueducts would not be needed.

## Editorial Paragraphs

Abbreviations in newspaper headings present many a problem for an editor. Recently the publisher of The Newmarket Era and Express came up with this one: "RECORD MAIL IN NKT". Now apparently Newmarket belongs with those famous other three-initial Canadian places, NWT (North West Territories) and NWF (Newfoundland). We doubt, however, if we'll live to see the day when Penetanguishene will become "PTGE" or Midland "MDL", even though Victoria Harbour may come down to VII and Waubaushene to WAUB.—Midland Free Press.

Maclean's Magazine turned a neat figure of speech in a recent editorial upon the dominion-provincial meetings on the constitution. Said Maclean's: "The fact that Canada still has to run to mother to have her constitutional buttons done up is a national shame . . ."

We hope that Deputy-Reeve Spillette will receive every encouragement in his part in the talks proposed between the northern municipalities of York county on the Toronto annexation program. He is to be congratulated for taking the lead in bringing this matter to a focus.

A recent article in a national magazine of large circulation made several flattering references to the value of margarine. The article was about budgeting and the writer argued that margarine cost less and gave better nutritional value than butter. There's one very good reason for the proposed advertising campaign on behalf of their product by the butter producers.

A recent news report appearing in a Toronto newspaper refers to Newmarket as a village. We are too far north to be annexed so we are belittled.

When the atom bomb was exploded, they said the ultimate in destruction had been achieved. U.S. scientists now believe they can make a hydrogen bomb of such destructive force that the present atomic bomb would serve only as a trigger for it. They estimate that a hydrogen bomb would have something like 1,000 times the destructive force of an atomic bomb, and could devastate 100 square miles in one blast.

# Letters to the Editor

The Editor: We wish to thank you and members of your staff for the splendid co-operation and assistance you have given us on so many occasions in the past with regard to the activities of the Veterans' Land Act in this district.

Particularly do we refer to the current construction course we are offering to veterans who propose building under the Veterans' Land Act.

You will be pleased to know that the attendance at our first meeting exceeded our fondest hopes and we feel the coverage given in your columns contributed in no small measure to this success, since many veterans attended with whom we had no other means of contact.

The classes will continue for several weeks at the V.L.A. offices, Millard Ave.

Wishing your paper every success.

J. W. Such,
for E. R. Donaldson,
Regional Supervisor.

***The state is the servant, not the master, of the people; the state is their guarantee against infringement on their rights, their agent in international and national issues; it is not the function of the state to assume the direction of those activities which rest on individual choice.***

## Office Cat reports Catnips By Ginger

Down at Malton airport they have been testing Canada's first jet fighter aircraft but I was unable to be there first hand and interview the test pilot.

But I did get a first hand story from my old friend Cadwell who was a wing commander in the R.A.F. during the recent hostility. He has been testing the most recent grasshopper-light plane, the Hawking Suppermarine high winged "Budgie."

"How does the Budgie handle?" I asked chief test pilot Cadwell.

"It's a piece of cake, really. Just like a butterfly," said Caldwell.

"There was nothing to it; I had it taped from the start. I put her into a whomping spin and she behaved right docile. Made my circuit over the station in duf. viz. and thought I was going to have to bale and make a blooper out of the whole screaming issue. However I set her down in some grass just off the strip. Almost ground looped. Good ship though; power's rampant."

Cadwell intimated that the ship handled well.

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Great writers must suffer, my uncle Louie used to say. I am not just sure how far this notion can be carried out. My uncle Louie was a writer of free verse, none of which was ever published and he created his monuments to literature while he was supposed to be cleaning the attic.

I have had little time for introspection since the current brand of influenza took me into its clutches. At this point of writing I am doubtful whether Ginger has emerged from this ordeal a greater or a lesser cat.

But on the other hand, I don't think Uncle Louie meant the 'flu when he spoke of suffering. Really, the 'flu is so common. Everyone has it. To be really great, as a writer that is, one must suffer in a more refined manner. Consumption seems to have been a favorite of the early romanticists. Or you may prefer opium or laudanum? Some darn good literature has been written by opium eaters and laudanum drinkers.

Seems to me that all the 'flu inspires is talk about the 'flu. Since the current wave struck town, that's all you hear. Everything from a tooth ache to an ingrown toenail becomes the 'flu. Now you take the 'flu I had. Why, I was never so sick in all my life. It was the real thing, of course.

Oh! You had it too? Probably just a light touch of it. Now, I was really sick. Ran quite a temperature. Yup, darn sick.

What's that? You had a temperature too? How high? Oh. Well, mine wasn't as high but of course it was a good deal more serious with all the complications I had. Oh yes. Severe complications. I see. You had complications too, eh.

Alright, alright. So you had the 'flu. And you were pretty sick. But I'm telling you, brother, I was sicker than you and that's final.

As we were saying, suffering can be an inspiration.

## by "Back Concession" The Top Six Inches

Mr. Bromfield said at the Ontario Crop Improvement Association that 60 percent of farmers were bad or inefficient farmers and that subsidies and floor prices had to be paid to keep this class of farmer in business. Mr. Bromfield is the owner of Malabar farm in Ohio, a farm that had been cropped and run down and was considered waste land. This gentleman by applying conservation, specialization and scientific method has brought his farm back to production.

We agree with Mr. Bromfield but as it reads it gives a wrong impression of what we farmers in Canada are trying to do. As the article reads it would seem that the inefficient farmers are the ones who are heading the movement for floor prices and subsidies.

Our farm leaders are our best farmers. The men who have worked and caused our co-opertaion are whole milk producers, hog producers, those who are working for cream producers and now we have the poultry men to be organized. To bring all these groups under one head we have the federation of agriculture. A check on these farmers will show not the worst but the best farmers heading our farm movements.

The injustice under which we farmers have to work is the reason why we must organize. Labor and industry are protected by tariffs that enable the home or domestic market to be controlled. We farmers are within our rights to ask and expect from our government in subsidies an equal amount of assistance as the tariffs give labor and industry. If assistance is right for industry and labor why not cut the farmer in? Or let free enterprise work and do away with all tariffs. The farmer can stand on his own feet in a free trade system.

How are we to weed out our inefficient farmers? As a war measure England did take farmers off the land. The complaint now is about the price support act. The government put a ceiling price on farm produce in the war years. The government set aside $200,000,000 for post war farm support. So far only around $7,000,000 has been used.

When the war was on people had plenty of money and could have paid higher prices. The farmer in the past has not stood up for his just rights. In the hungry 30's we farmers had to take prices as low as ten cents a bag for 90 lbs. of potatoes, $3 per 100 lbs. live weight for hogs, eggs as low as four cents per dozen.

The farmers who are heading up our farm organizations could stand lower farm prices without being hurt too badly. Those farm people who are going to be really hurt are the ones that pay least attention. We get the most resistance in our farm movement from farm people.

The inefficient farmer never attends farm meetings, doesn't understand what is trying to be done. This class is what might be termed the why-don't-they-do-something group, always wanting but never doing themselves. Mr. Watson of the livestock branch said that the pork and beef producers are not doing their job efficiently. Too many poorly finished stock are going on the market Some of the 60 percent of poor farmers should read the address of Mr. Bromfield, and decide to farm right or get off the job.

We may have to let the school children have one day a week off and send the farm people to school, there are so many things that the farm people should know. To try and get farm people out at night to study does not work too well. Cheerio.

DELINQUENT PARENTS

## WILFIE.....By Jay Work

—Maclean's Magazine

# Letters to the Editor

The Editor: Would you, through your columns, make an appeal to mothers of school children in particular and women in general not now active to take more interest in the associations working for the benefit of children and young people?

We know many answer such appeals with "ask us anytime." Nevertheless, it is very urgent that these organizations become the duty of countless parents who are leaving the work to others.

It is not to be expected, nor is it desirable that inexperienced people act on executives, but it is urgently desirable that they work on committees, later taking convenorships and become prepared for executive work. In doing this they enrich their own and other lives.

There are always experienced pilots to help but many hands and heads are needed to keep an even keel. We note this in such groups as the Federation of Home and School, its councils and associations in which people of many years' service still give freely of their time and knowledge. The Canadian Girl Guides Association formed of women who are not mothers of Guides but are interested in their welfare. The Scout and Guide Mothers' Auxiliary and many others who work for the benefit of children and the community.

It is only by attending the meetings of these associations your child is interested in and benefitted by; you keep alerted to what is being done to improve opportunities of healthful entertainment, reading, listening and living in general.

This is an urgent appeal to mothers of children and women with an interest in children to come out and help. In so doing it also may permit at least some who have been giving their time and talents ten and 20 years, perhaps more, to take time out to do things they have longed to and had no time for.

It is a wonderfully satisfying thing to work for the welfare of children through organizations whose enormous achievements could not be even touched on adequately here. Do come out and help.

Thank you.

O. W. Wheeland.

# An Aurora Opinion

By

*RAY WILLIAMS*

Aurora Editor

This week, we went ringing doorbells. We selected a prosperous looking avenue in Aurora and spoke to some of the residents on this street asking them this question, "what police department do you think would be most beneficial to Aurora, a local force or a provincial police detachment?"

The first house we came to was that of the Leen family and it was Paw who came to the door. We popped the question and waited. The suspense increased it's tension with each breath, but finally his son, I. Leen, came running up. He explained that Paw lost his voice when his name was drawn at a mammoth quiz contest and hasn't spoken since. So, we asked the son the same question. He said he thought Aurora should maintain its present police force because of the experience the constables now policing the town have. We thanked him and moved on.

The next house we came to belonged to Sandy MacTavish, the ex-curler. We asked the same question to Sandy and were thrown a pile of figures that resulted in the fact that the wages of the provincial police were lower than those of the local police should their increase be granted. Sandy also pointed out that the provincial police had a pension plan which would entitle the town of Aurora to 25 percent of its police expenses from the government. The present police force is not pensioned and this does not qualify it to apply for the grant of 25 percent from the government. Sandy MacTavish was all in favor of the provincial police coming in.

Next door to Sandy lives a French-Canadian whose name is Bateese Lavaille. Bateese answered our question this way:

"Last' year, I span' tree week 'n jail, by gar. I get een fight an' heet sum fellar an' by gar when I get sober, dat fellar I heet, he ees de polees, by gar I do tree week. I tink we shood'n have de cop at all."

So we moved on. We saw a chap walking down the street and approached him. "Nice day," we said. EEYup. He walked on and we walked beside him. "No doubt you heard of the proposal to bring the provincial police in to take over for the local police force," we querried. EEYup. "Do you think it would be a good idea?" we asked. NNNope. He began walking faster and our short legs were finding it tough keeping up with the pace. Soon we were running and in desperation fired one last question. "Do you really think the local police force is more beneficial (pant) to Aurora (puff) than the provincials (gasp) would be?" EEYup. Victorious we collapsed from exhaustion. When we came around we saw a truck race past and in big letter on the side the words, "Ontario Mental Institute." While we are not sure where that truck went, we feel we have a good idea.

The consensus of our poll was that two people favored the police department as it is, one favored a provincial police detachment in the town and the fourth favored no police at all.

## POTTAGEVILLE

Mr. O. Irish is still in York County hospital and has improved slightly. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Harold Stone is confined to bed again and hope she will be up again soon.

The National Film Board will be at the church hall on Friday, Feb. 3, at 8.15 p.m.

# See Need For Women In Agric. Federation

## MUST MEASURE FAMILY NEEDS IN FARM TERMS

Mrs. Arthur Boyd, Newmarket, who is working on the organization of a women's committee of the Federation of Agriculture in this part of the county, gives the following reasons for the existence of such an organization:

The farm woman of today is intelligent enough to want to know for herself why she is going into a store and saying, "What will you give me for my eggs?" and what are you asking for "a pound of cheese?" There is nothing better for the soul than a healthy, intelligent discussion, of course if one is broadminded enough to see the other person's viewpoint.

The women's committee of the federation could be a great help to the Women's Institute in that they are active and want to do their own thinking. They want to know what will buy a shirt for Johnny and pay the taxes on the farm and pay the hospitalization fee and the 101 things that keep farm homes functioning. She is thinking she could show the consumer that the wholesale merchant is the little man who raises their prices, not the producer.

The women's committee of the federation is different from the Women's Institute in that it must be active farm women to be members and a desire to discuss without malice the spread between the urban and rural conditions because of the desire of some for control of wealth. Quoting from Mr. Belyea's report at the convention in a world where dollar values are spoken of more often than human values, the richest purse makes the most effective clatter.

The Canadian farmer, like the British farmer, will one day be asked whether he desires a penny or a million dollar federation. With his answer will his own destiny and the destiny of Canadian agriculture rise or fall?

If, in the future the farmer through his federation decides to make his influence felt, tomorrow will certainly belong to agriculture.

## FARM WIFE'S ROLE TO ENCOURAGE MEN - MORRISON

At the annual convention held in Toronto recently Rev. W. Morrison, president O.F.A., said the women in Federation have done a great job. "Many times we mere men do not take as active a part as we should in our organization and my impression is that one of the important jobs you have been doing is urging your menfolk to take an active part. I would challenge you to continue to do this even more than in the past."

In a recent survey of farm ownership it was found the prosperous farmers' sons remained on the farm but sons of farmers on poor soil left for urban employment and the farm changed ownership frequently. We as farm people have solved the problem of production to the extent we have surpluses. Surpluses in farm products result in reduced prices and standard of living. Not so in labor and industry. They decide through unions and federations to produce less at the same price. In fact they reduce their actual hours of labor and have the same take home pay.

It is up to the farmer and this includes his wife and family, to see there is a fair distribution of farm products at a price above cost of production. The farm people have the Federation of Agriculture to look after their interests.

Several townships are planning organization meetings and it is hoped all farm people will support their federation. Cash is needed if farm people want more services. C. H. Millard, director of United Steelworkers of America, told the delegates at the O.F.A. convention "we don't allow for hitch-hikers in the union. Every member must pay his way. Mr. Millard continued "falling farm prices are giving all of us grave concern. We know that when farm prices fall below an economic level unemployment is going to follow and we fear the future under such conditions."

It is necessary for the good of the Federation and of the farming industry as a whole that women should understand and participate in federation work which looks after the "bread and butter" side of life.

Mrs. Ross Armitage, Pine Orchard, Mrs. H. A. White, Vandorf, and Mrs. Sid Jones, Newmarket, R. R. 2, are working with Mrs. Boyd in organizing a women's committee for North York.

# SCOTT AG. SOC. ANNUAL MEET

At the annual meeting of Scott Agricultural Society held at Udora January 27 the treasurer's report showed a total of $1,354.55 paid out for agricultural purposes including $1,774.55 in prizes at the fair. In addition two standing crop competitions were conducted and three junior clubs and a girl's garden club sponsored in which $313.50 was paid in prizes.

It is planned to hold the fair again at Uxbridge on September 27 and conduct the crop competitions in oats and potatoes, as well as sponsor the same junior clubs and support the County Crop Improvement Association.

Officers elected for 1950 are: hon. presidents, Stuart Taylor, Wilmot Bain, J. R. Meyers, Wesley Page; hon. directors, Albert Thaxter, John W. Meyers, J. Alfred Broad; pres., Thomas McKnight; first vice pres., H. B. Lockie; second vice pres., Morley Bain; directors, Clarence Armstrong, Lorne Bagshaw, Burton Collins, Newton Graham, Irving Leask, Wm. Harrison, Jack Pearson, Wm. Stevenson, James Smith; sec., W. O. Webster; auditors, Bruce Shier, Harold Peers.

Messrs. L. Bagshaw and T. McKnight were appointed delegates to the annual convention in Toronto.

### CONVALESCING AT HOME

Mrs. Sarah Morrison has returned home from York County hospital where she had been a patient for the past seven weeks. Mrs. Morison is convalescing at her residence, 89 Main St.

### HOPE

Hope W.A. will hold its meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 8, at the home of Mrs. Geo. Broderick.

ONTARIO

# NOTICE TO ONTARIO MOTORISTS

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Under an amendment to the Highway Traffic Act enacted in 1947, provision was made for the creation of an Unsatisfied Judgment Fund out of which will be paid, in the manner prescribed, judgments for personal injuries and property damage sustained by reason of the operation of motor vehicles, which cannot be collected in the ordinary manner from the judgment debtors.

The method prescribed for creating the Fund is the collection of a special fee, when required, from each person to whom is issued either an operator's or a chauffeur's licence.

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Total fees collected for the Fund and repayments to the Fund from January 1st to December 31st, 1949, amounted to.....$638,430.37

Judgments paid out of the Fund from July 1st, 1947, to December 31st, 1949, amounted to.....$630,644.03

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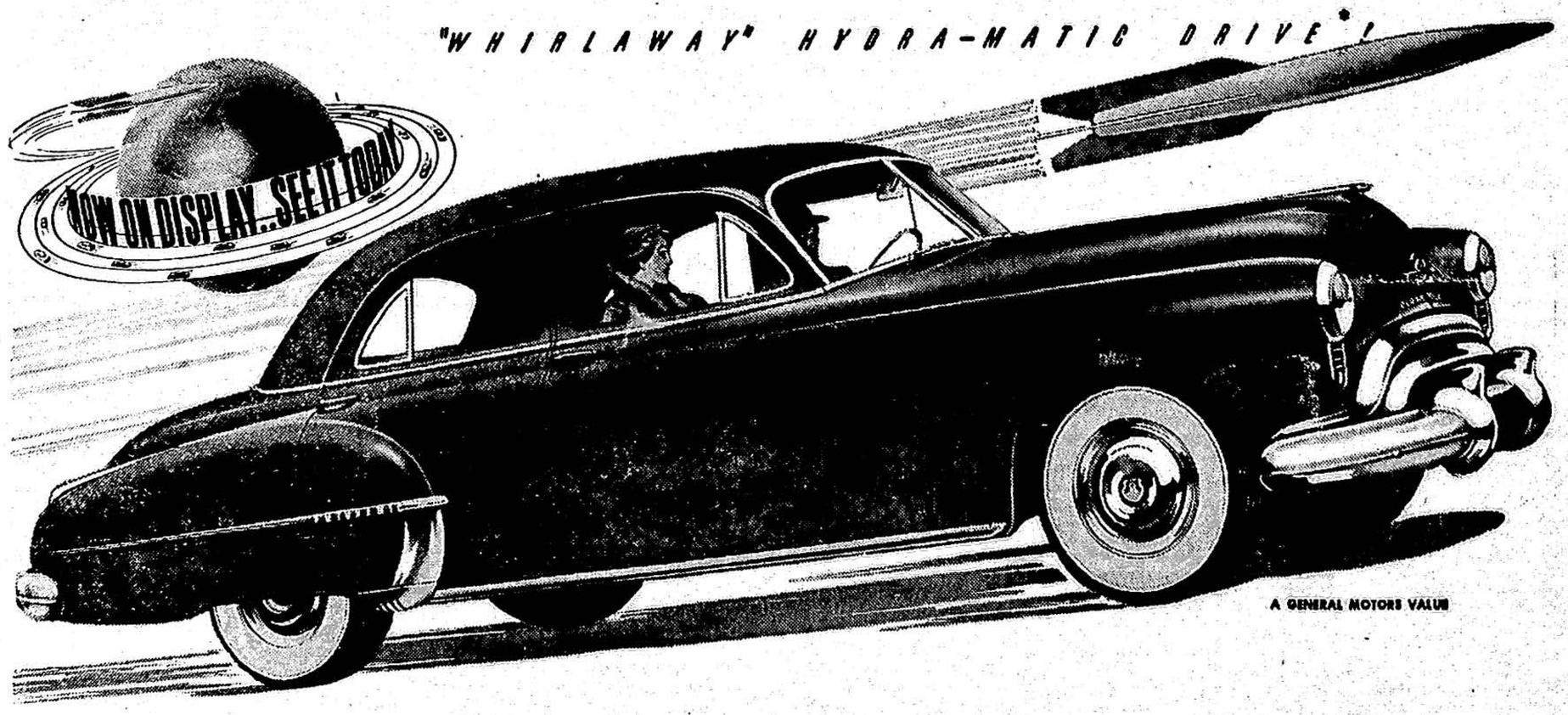


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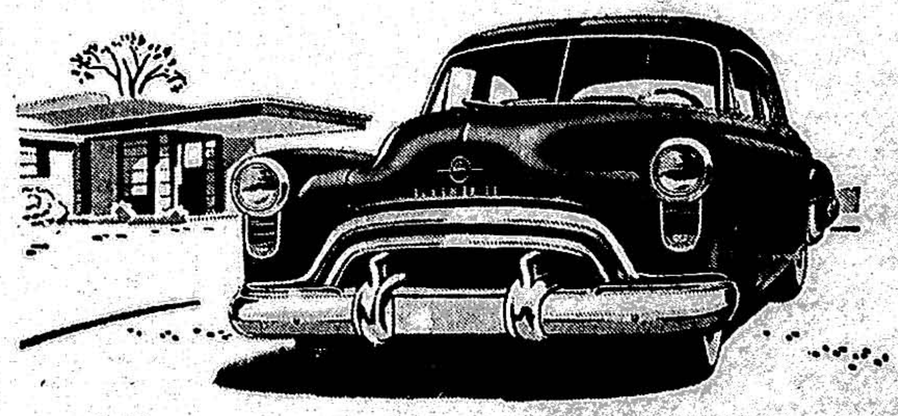

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**For rent**—New apartment. Apply 72 Botsford St., Newmarket, phone 140. *1w5

## ROOMS FOR RENT

**For rent**—Furnished room. Apply 69 Timothy St. W., Newmarket. c2w4

**For rent** — Bright warm front bedroom. Furnished, private, all conveniences. Phone 1160, Newmarket. cr1w5

**For rent** — Large front room, heated. Phone 535j, Newmarket. *2w5

**For rent** — 2 Furnished rooms. Bedroom and kitchen, with sink, built-in cupboards and rangette. Suit business couple and girls. $15 weekly. Apply 18 Andrew St., Newmarket. *1w5

**For rent** — 5 rooms and bath, clothes closets, sunroom and office. Centre of town, number 14 Timothy St. west, Newmarket. Apply 38 Timothy west. *1w5

## ROOM AND BOARD

**For rent**—Room with board. Apply 49 Prospect Ave., phone 246w, Newmarket. *r2w4

**Board and room** — Available, bright, clean room. Gentleman preferred. Phone 241w, Newmarket. c1w5

**Room and board**—Large, warm room, with board. Phone 707, Newmarket. c1w5

## 16 APARTMENT WANTED

**Wanted to rent** — 4 or 5 room apartment, duplex or small house by adults. Write P.O. box 558 or call between 7 and 9 p.m. Monday to Friday, Mrs. Jack Skinner, 171 Main St., Newmarket. *r1w5

## 17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

**For sale**—Venetian blinds, aluminum or steel, made for all styles of windows. Free estimates and installations. Phone 755, apply 40 Ontario St. W., or write P.O. box 496, Newmarket. tf1

**For sale** — Findlay cookstove with hotwater front, in good condition. Apply 23 Queen St. W., Newmarket, phone 947. c2w4

## STORE EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

Mixed quantities of shelf grocery stock to be sacrificed as job lot. 8 foot modern refrigerated meat showcase with self contained unit, meat blocks, scales, electric meat slicer, meat and coffee grinder, butcher knives, steels etc. Large walk-in box 1 1-2 h.p. refrigeration unit. Latest type National (groceteria style) cash register, price tag moulding, price tags, celluloid vegetable price tags, and other articles too numerous to mention for sale at reasonable prices.

TERMS ARRANGED IF DESIRED

PHONE 1197, NEWMARKET

tf4

**For sale**—Lady's navy with red Melton cloth ski suit, fully lined, size 18. Best offer. Phone 406w, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale**—Girl's beige cloth coat, fur trim, size 16. Phone 61r, Newmarket. *1w5

**For sale** — Large coal or wood Quebec heater with pipes, in good condition. Apply W. C. Harman, 7 Main St., Newmarket, (front apartment). *1w5

**For sale** — 1 pair lady's white skates, size 8½. Phone 687j, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale**—Hot-air furnace, used two years, also blower. Both in good condition. Phone Aurora 89r21. c1w5

**JUST ARRIVED!**

A Big Shipment of Re-issue

**BATTLE DRESS PANTS**

(Sizes 28 to 36 waist)

$3.95 Pair

These pants are in beautiful condition. Real economy for the working man.

also

Boys' Genuine

CADET SUITS

Pants - $2.98

Tunics - $1.00

Mail orders receive prompt attention. Give waist measurement when ordering.

**ARMY AIRFORCE STORES**

Aurora, Ont. c1w5

**For sale**—Soda fountain, 14 ft. long, seven stools. Complete with carbonator and freezing unit, could be used as a deep freeze outfit. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket, phone 14. c1w5

**For sale**—2 pianos, completely reconditioned and guaranteed. Apply 38 Millard or phone 987j, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale** — New Johnson Sea-Horse outboard motor, 25 h.p. Sacrifice for quick sale. Phone 227, Newmarket, after 5 p.m. c1w5

**For sale**—Electric range, Hotpoint, 4-burner, side oven, in good condition. $60. Solid walnut extension table and five chairs, $25. Phone 563w, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale** — Kitchen cupboard, modern, like new. Apply Era and Express box 365. c1w5

**For sale** — Child's 3-piece chinchilla outfit, size 4. 2 boys' overcoats, size 10. Reasonable. Phone 278r, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale** — Chesterfield chair, hospital cot, girl's ski shoes. Phone 1005m, Newmarket. c2w5

**For sale** — Gilson electric washing machine. Good condition. Phone Gordon Mainprize, 2914 Mount Albert. *1w5

**For sale**—2-piece brown mohair chesterfield suite, in good condition. Phone 746j, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale** — Medium size wood heater, in good condition. 30' tower wind-mill, Beatty Bros. Phone 1408 Mount Albert. s1w5

**For sale**—Single barrel, 2-shot, bolt action, 12 gauge shotgun. Apply 41 Gorham St., Newmarket. c1w5

## ARTICLES WANTED

**Wanted to buy** — Bathroom scales, must be accurate, priced reasonable. Phone 750w, Newmarket, evenings. c1w5

## 17A PRODUCE

**For sale**—Carrots and parsnips by the bushel. Potatoes by the bag. Apply W. C. McCallum, Holland Landing, phone 678w3, Newmarket. c2w4

## 17B MERCHANDISE

**For sale**—Hearing aid batteries for most popular makes. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliance, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. tf1

**For sale**—Beatty and Westinghouse washers, refrigerators, ranges, cleaners, tub stands, wash tubs, clothes racks, tub drainers, radios. Service on all appliances. Spillette and Son, Newmarket. tf1

**THOR WASHER & GLADIRON**

Electric 25 and 60 cycle, gas washers, repair parts and service. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliances, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. tf1

## 19 USED CARS FOR SALE

**For sale**—Best offer. '34 Chevrolet. Phone 455, Newmarket or apply R. E. Croutch, Sharon. *2w5

**For sale**—1932 Chevrolet coach, in good general repair, new battery, good tires. Apply William McGenerty, Keswick. *1w5

**For sale** — '31 Dodge, excellent tires, good body, engine fair, good running condition, $100. Apply Joe Silver (Pine Orchard), R. R. 3, Newmarket. *2w5

**For sale** — '49 Ford, privately owned, 7 months old. Phone 756r, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale**—'33 Chevrolet coach. New tires. $200 or best offer. Phone Queensville 2913. *1w5

**For sale** — '35 Chevrolet standard, good condition, heater and good paint job, motor in good shape. Phone 467j14, Newmarket, evenings. *1w5

**For sale** — '42 Plymouth coach, $675.; '40 Ford coupe, $675.; '36 Ford coach, $400.; '35 Ford coach, $300.; '36 Buick sedan, $350.; '48 pick-up, $1,000. Cash, trade or terms. Apply Walker's Garage, 50 Davis Dr. E., Newmarket, phone 822j. c1w5

**For sale** — '47 Chevrolet Stylemaster, excellent condition. Apply 42 Gorham St., Newmarket. *1w5

## 22 HELP WANTED

**Help wanted**—Young man 18 - 20 for training in office work. Good starting salary. Excellent opportunity for advancement. 5 day week. Matriculant or commercial graduate preferred. Write Era and Express box 358. c3w4

**Help wanted**—Woman to clean 6-room house once a week. Write P.O. box 1069, Newmarket. c1w5

**Help wanted** — Capable woman as housekeeper for about a month. Modern home, all conveniences. Mrs. Arthur Pollock, Keswick, phone Roche's Point 96r2. c1w5

**Help wanted** — Stenographer, 24 to 30 years, knowledge of bookkeeping, permanent position. 5 1-2 day week. Apply Era and Express box 364. c1w5

## 23 WORK WANTED

**Work wanted**—Angle bull-dozer for hire. Phone Max Waters, 137r2 Bradford, Federal Farms Ltd. tf50

**Draperies, valances,** bedspreads, etc., made to measure, your material. Advice, quotations freely given. Apply Thelma Jones, 78 Andrew St., Newmarket. tf2

**Work wanted** — Floors waxed polished, painting and general odd jobs done. Reasonable rates. Phone Queensville 503. tf3

**Work wanted**—Capable woman wants steady work. Baby sitting, kitchen or domestic. Apply Era and Express box 363. *1w5

**Work wanted**—House cleaning by the hour. Phone 769j, Newmarket. c3w4

**CARPENTRY WORK WANTED**

1st class workmanship on housing, repairs, alterations, trimming etc. No job too small. Prompt and personal attention. Satisfaction guaranteed. Anywhere, anytime. Phone W. J. Brookes, 166jt, Newmarket, Main St. N. *r1w5

## 24 LOST

**Lost** — Terry water pump. In Bradford Marsh and Kettleby vicinity. Finder please contact the Construction Dept. of Bell Telephone Co., Newmarket, A. M. Huffman. *2w5

**Lost** — Lady's little finger ring, 3 pearls. Keepsake. Reward. Finder please write Era and Express box 362. *1w5

**Lost** — Lady's Tavanes wrist watch, gold with black band, between Pickering College and downtown. Reward. Finder please phone Mrs. Ruth Penrose, 403 Newmarket. *1w5

## 24A PERSONAL

**Constipation sufferers** — A famous formula, developed by Robert G. Jackson, M.D., has helped to relieve thousands of sufferers. This formula is known as Roman Meal and is a delicious cereal that helps nature relieve constipation. It combines the natural food values and delicious flavors of whole wheat and whole rye with the gentle, laxative properties of flax-o-lin and bran. Roman Meal is an excellent energy food for all ages. It is sold by all leading grocers.

Write today for free booklet, "Nature's Way to Good Health" by Robert G. Jackson, M.D., to Dr. Jackson Foods Limited, Dept. K/1 Willingdon Blvd., Toronto.

## 24B TRANSPORTATION

**Transportation available** to Toronto Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, leaving at 8 a.m. Phone 645, Newmarket. *r2w4

## 27 FARM ITEMS

**For sale**—Hay. Order now. Apply Preston Hockley, Zephyr, phone 6003, Mount Albert. tf4

**For sale** — Hen-house. Lumber. 7 mink traps. Apply G. Simmerson, 143 Prospect Ave., phone 896j, Newmarket. *1w5

**For sale**—Quantity of hay and straw. Approximately 700 fence rails. Phone Marion Atkins, 691w2, Newmarket. c1w5

**For sale**—Hay and straw. Apply Wm. Yake, 2 1-2 miles south of Pine Orchard. c2w5

## 28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

**For sale**—More milk, more beef. Two dark red dual purpose bulls, purebred, 14 months old, accredited herd. Apply Harvey Gibney, Holt. c1w5

## 28A LIVESTOCK WANTED

**Wanted to buy** — Old horses. Dead horses and cows. We pay for dead stock if fit to use. Notify as soon as possible after death. L. B. Pollock, Keswick, Ont., phone Queensville 2931. tf1

**Wanted to buy**—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. We pay for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 51j1, Newmarket. tf1

## ATTENTION FARMERS

We will be pleased to pick up dead or crippled farm animals and pay current market prices. For immediate service telephone collect, Newmarket 79 or Toronto, Adelaide 3636.

GORDON YOUNG LTD.

**Wanted to buy** — Horses for mink. Will call for with truck. Good cash prices paid. Frank Coleman, phone 1089j, Newmarket, or write P.O. box 25. tf4

**Wanted to buy** — Weaned pigs, chunks, sows, cows, calves and or young cattle. Phone 3020, Mount Albert. *1w5

**Wanted to buy**—Holsteins, heifers preferred. Apply Otto Barkey, phone 602, Queensville. c4w5

## 29 POULTRY FOR SALE

**Benerayde Poultry Farm** Breeders of fast feathered Barred Rocks. Hatching from December to June. Choice dressed roasters at all times J. S. Murby, Aurora, phone 44m. tf1

## 29A CHICKS FOR SALE

**For sale** — 3-week-old capon chicks available Feb. 9 and Feb. 16 at 25c each. Ray Taylor, Kettleby. c3w4

## 29B POULTRY WANTED

**Wanted to buy** — All kinds of live poultry wanted. Any amount. Will pay highest cash prices and call at door. Phone 657, Newmarket. tf1

## PETS

**For sale** — Cocker puppies, blonde. Registered. Reasonable. Apply Elsie Huntley, Queensville, phone 108. *4w4

## 31 MISCELLANEOUS

**For sale**—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery for those who suffer from varicose veins, ankle and knee trouble. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket.

**MUCOUS IN THROAT**

Thuna's Pink Tablets for the nose and throat, for the dropping of mucous discharge, sensation of the lump in the throat and other disturbances. These are the same reliable pink tablets that have been used for many years by adults and children with good results. Price $1.00; $1.75; $2.50. The Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket.

**We buy and sell shotguns and .22 rifles.** We have ammunition available for all calibres. Morrison's Men's Wear, Newmarket. tf1

**THE BEST BRONCHIAL COUGH SYRUP**

For coughs, colds and bronchitis. A prompt and effective remedy for the relief of bronchitis, tight or chesty coughs and colds. 50 cents. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket.

**All-Herbal** rheumatic tablets for muscular, arthritic neuritic and sciatic pains. Price $1.00. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket.

**Baby scales** for sale or rent, by week or month. The Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. tf51

**Floor sanding machines** for rent. Floors sanded and finished. Apply Wallpaper Shop, 117 Yonge St., or phone 308w, Richmond Hill. c13w46

**LAWN MOWERS**

Have your lawn mower repaired and sharpened now. Why wait till spring rush? Repairs to any make of mower. Butcher knives, scissors and axes ground. Apply W. Adams, phone 15 Newmarket. c4w4

**For sale**—One horse power motor, 110 - 220 volts, 25 cycle. Apply Newmarket Ice, Main St. N., Newmarket. c1w5

## WOOD FOR SALE

**For sale**—Hardwood. $5 a cord, delivered. S. Sheridan, phone Newmarket 858. tf1

**For sale** — Hardwood stove-lengths. Phone R. Lewis, 202w4, Newmarket. *3w3

**For sale** — Cordwood $10 per cord. 4 ft. length. Maple limb and bodywood. Apply Clarence Cowie, Queensville, phone Mount Albert 2610. *3w4

**For sale** — High ground hardwood, stove lengths. Delivered. Phone Queensville 2013. *2w4

**For sale** — Cedar rails, cheap. Apply Joe Silver (Pine Orchard), R. R. 3, Newmarket. *2w5

## NOTICE

Anyone having any information about a car accident involving the car, license M6287, on Saturday, Jan. 21, please contact Mrs. Chas. Swan. *1w5

## TENDERS

**S.S. NO. 1, TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GWILLIMBURY**

**Tenders for the Construction of a School Building**

**General and Mechanical Trades**

Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of S.S. No. 1, Township of North Gwillimbury for the construction of a school building, until 12 o'clock noon, 1st March, 1950.

Tenders must be addressed to Mrs. L. Stephens, secretary-treasurer, S.S. No. 1, Township of North Gwillimbury, Keswick, Ont., and must be marked clearly as to contents.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the architects, Molesworth, Secord & Savage, 18 Toronto St., Toronto 1.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Mrs. L. Stephens, secretary-treasurer, S.S. No. 1, Township of North Gwillimbury. Keswick, Ont. c1w5

## NOTICE To CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF LESLIE DEAN YATES, LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF KESWICK, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, MACHINIST, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above named deceased who died at the Village of Keswick, in the County of York, on or about the 6th day of February, 1949, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustees Act, to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the 28th day of February, 1950, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Toronto this Nineteenth day of January, 1950.

Mathews, Stiver, Lyons & Vale, 220 Bay Street, Toronto, Ontario, Solicitors for Ethel Alice Yates, Administratrix. c3w4

## NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BYLAW FOR THE CLOSING AND STOPPING UP OF THAT PART OF THE ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD BETWEEN LOTS ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE, IN THE FIRST CONCESSION WEST OF YONGE STREET, IN THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST GWILLIMBURY EXTENDING EASTERLY FROM THE WEST LIMIT OF THE SAID ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD TO THE WEST BANK OF THE HOLLAND RIVER.

TAKE NOTICE that at a meeting of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of East Gwillimbury to be held on Saturday, the Fourth day of March, 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon in the Sharon Hall, consideration will be given by the Council to the passing of a proposed Bylaw providing for the closing and stopping up of that part of the original allowance for road between Lots one hundred and twenty (120) and one hundred and twenty-one (121), in the First Concession west of Yonge Street, in the Township of East Gwillimbury extending easterly from the west limit of the said allowance for road to the west bank of the Holland River.

AND at the said meeting the Council will hear any person, or by his Counsel, solicitor or agent any person, who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the said proposed Bylaw.

DATED at Queensville this Twenty-Third day of January, A.D. 1950.

J. L. Smith, Clerk. c4w4

## AUCTION SALE

**Of High Grade Modern Farm Equipment.**

The undersigned has received instructions from

**W. H. C. RUTHVEN**

**East half lot 10, con. 1, Essa, 4 miles north of Alliston**

To sell by public auction on

**FRIDAY, FEB. 10**

The following:

**IMPLEMENTS**

I.H.C. M tractor, 2 yrs. old
M.H. combine, 10 ft., self propelled electric lift, 2 yrs. old
Ford Ferguson tractor, 3 yrs. old, 10 inch tires
Ford Ferguson cultivator, with scuffler, small weeder
Ford Ferguson attachment and moulders
Ford Ferguson weeder
Ford Ferguson power mower, 7-ft. cut.
Niagara duster for Ford tractor
Ford Ferguson plow, 10-inch
Army truck, 1,500 C.W.T., 4-wheel drive, dump body
2-row potato digger, good condition (flat bed) John Deere
Boggs potato grader with power attachment
Potato seed cutter, electric, new 1949
I.H.C. manure spreader, power take off, 2 yrs. old
I.H.C. one-way disc, 5 ft., 2 yrs. old
I.H.C. spring tooth lever harrow (4 section)
I.H.C. tractor, 10-20
I.H.C. seed drill, 15 disc, new 1949
M.H. cultivator, spring tooth, power lift
M.H. horse cultivator, stiff tooth
Tractor disc, Fleury Bissel harrow tandem, 8 ft., new 1949
3-furrow Cockshutt tractor plow
Set drag harrow, 4 section
Set drag harrow, 3 section
Fleury Bissel land packer
Cockshutt horse mower, 6 ft.
I.H.C. sulky rake, 10 ft.
Buck rake
Rubber tired wagon, ball bearing
Big wagon trailer, dual wheels, 2 ton capacity
Wagon box, with shelving
Wagon rack, with ensilage box

**ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT**

DeLaval milking machine, 3 units
Kelvinator milk cooler with motor
Cooler circulator with motor
DeLaval wall cooler
DeLaval electric cream separator, 800 lbs. capacity
Beatty washing machine, electric
Wood's oat roller with electric horse motor, Century
Goodison feed mixer with General Electric 1 H.P. motor, 500 lbs. cap.
3 Horse electric motor, single phase, Century
10 Horse electric motor, single phase
Elliott woodworker, rip and cross cut
Grain elevator, 16 ft.
Half horse power electric motor
All motors 60 cycle.

**GRAIN AND FEED**

Quantity Ajax oats eligible for seed, grown from registered seed
Quantity of straw, square bales
Quantity of Montcalm barley

**MISCELLANEOUS**

6 Rolls snow fence, nearly new
Quantity steel fence posts
2 Extension ladders, 28 and 32 ft.
2 Electric fencers
Blacksmith vice
Anvil, 200 lbs.
Wood vice
Number of steel and wood barrels
Electric clippers
Lawn mower
Quantity cattle blankets and show halters
2 Beatty feed push carts
Albany rotary water pump with motor
Steel trough, 6 bbls.
Fanning mill
Weigh scales, 1,200 lbs. 160 tripods
Beatty drinking bowls, Beatty hay fork, shovels, forks, hoes, neck yokes, log hook, kant hook, grease guns and numerous other articles

**All will be sold without reserve as the proprietor has sold his farm**

Sale at 1 p.m. Terms Cash

C. J. SPROULE, Auctioneer

Phone Stroud 23r11 c1w5

## NOTICE to CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF THOMAS MOORHEAD, LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF MOUNT ALBERT IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, RETIRED FARMER, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the Village of Mount Albert in the County of York on or about the 19th day of December, 1949, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claim on or before the 25th day of February, 1950, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this 13th day of January, A.D. 1950.

Elizabeth Moorhead, Frederick Moorhead and Nora Davis, by their Solicitors, Mathews, Stiver, Lyons & Vale, Newmarket, Ontario. c3w3

## NOTICE To CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF EDWARD WATTS, LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF MOUNT ALBERT IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, RETIRED DAIRYMAN, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased who died at the Village of Mount Albert in the County of York, on or about the 21st day of October, 1949, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claim on or before the 25th day of February, 1950, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this 13th day of January, A.D. 1950.

Pearl Watts and Ellis Dilman Executors, by their Solicitors, Mathews, Stiver, Lyons & Vale, Newmarket, Ontario. c3w3

## IN MEMORIAM

**Fairbarn**—In loving memory of William Fairbarn who passed away in Queensville, Feb. 2, 1949.
Deep in our hearts lies a picture
Of a loved one laid to rest;
In memory's frame we shall keep it,
Because he was one of the best.
Ever remembered by Max and Joy.

**Fairbarn**—In loving memory of a dear brother, Wm. R. Fairbarn, who passed away Feb. 2, 1949.
How I've missed you brother dear,
In every moment of the year,
And the countless times I've thought of you
And wished that you were here.
Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by sister Maude.

**Gamble** — In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. A. Gamble, who passed away Feb. 2, 1949.
What would we give, her hand to clasp,
Her patient face to see;
To hear her voice, to see her smile
As in days that used to be.
But some sweet day we'll meet again
Beyond the toil and strife;
And clasp each other's hand once more
In Heaven, that happy life.
Ever remembered by daughter Jean, son-in-law John and granddaughter Gloria.

**Huntley** — In loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. Huntley who passed away February 3 and 4, 1937.
O happy hours we once enjoyed,
How sweet their memory still;
But death has left a loneliness
The world can never fill.
Lovingly remembered by grandson, Donald E. Huntley.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huntley who passed away February 3 and 4, 1937. Ever remembered by Raymonds.

**Micks**—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Winfred P. Micks, who passed away February 7, 1948.
Calm and peaceful he is sleeping,
Sweetest rest that follows pain,
We who loved him sadly miss him
But trust in God to meet again.
Lovingly remembered by wife, Elwin and Violet.

**Rye**—In loving memory of our dear father, William James Rye, who passed away Feb. 2, 1946 and our dear mother, Mary Jane Rye, who passed away Mar. 2, 1947.
We will meet them in the dawning
Of life's everlasting day,
When all midnight shades have vanished
And the mists have passed away.
Yes we'll meet them when the ransomed
Gather round the throne divine
how in perfect adoration
By their living Christ and mine.
Ever remembered by the family.

## NOTICE

**E. A. MERCHANT**

Anyone knowing the address of a man by the above name, recently coming from India, please phone 19, Newmarket. c1w5

## NOTICE

I am now equipped to make your window frames, sashes, cupboards. Good dry lumber used. Get your orders in soon. Murray Baker, 93 Andrew St., Newmarket, phone 651j. cr4w5

## NOTICE To CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF FRANCES L. PENROSE, DECEASED.

All persons having claims against the Estate of Frances L. Penrose, late of the Town of Newmarket, who died on or about the 26th day of August, 1949, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on, or before the 6th day of March, 1950, after which date the estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims which the undersigned shall then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this 26th day of January, A.D., 1950. George Albert Penrose, Frederick Ezra Penrose, Newmarket, Ontario, executors. c5w5

## SALE REGISTER

**Wednesday, Feb. 8** — Auction sale of farm stock and implements, hogs, grain, hay and household effects, the property of George Fairbarn, con. 6, North Gwillimbury, 2 miles north of Ravenshoe, east half of lot 8. Everything sold without reserve as farm is rented. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp. Terms cash. Percy Mahoney, clerk. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, phone 105, Queensville. c2w4

**Saturday, Feb. 18**—Auction sale of residential property and household effects, the property of the estate of the late Lillian Smalley, to be sold on the premises known as No. 3 John St., in the town of Newmarkt. Sale 2 p.m. Terms of chattels cash. F. N. Smith, auctioeer, phone 187j, Newmarket. c4w4

**Saturday, March 4** — Auction sale of household effects and real estate. The executor of the estate of the late Gertrude May Reilly has authorized me to offer for sale the following real estate in two parcels and subject to a reserve bid.

Parcel 1: House and lot at Holt - part of Lot 10, Concession 7, East Gwillimbury - frontage 150' x 132' depth.

Parcel 2: Farm property known as "George Goodwin Farm" being part of Lots 3 and 4, Concession 7, East Gwillimbury - barn and house comprising 185 acres more or less.

Conditions of sale made known at sale. For further particulars apply to Alan Hopkins, Holt, Ontario, executor of the estate of Gertrude May Reilly or Kenneth M. R. Stiver, barrister etc., Newmarket, Ontario.

**Sale 1 p.m. Terms: Chattels Cash**

F. N. SMITH, Auctioneer. c5w5

**Smith** — In loving memory of Johanna Smith, who passed away Feb. 2, 1949.
God knew that she was suffering,
That her hills were hard to climb;
So He closed her weary eyelids,
And whispered "Peace be thine."
Ever remembered by husband and family.

**Yates**—In loving memory of my dear father, Leslie Dean Yates, who passed away February 6, 1949.
You left a beautiful memory
And a sorrow too great to be told;
But to those who loved and lost you,
Your memory will never grow old.
Sadly missed by daughter, Barbara.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I would like to thank everyone for the lovely cards, letters, fruit and beautiful flowers sent to me during my three weeks in the Toronto Western hospital. Doreen Anderson.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The Junior Red Cross of the Mount Albert senior room wish to thank Mr. Mainprize for the use of his store and all the people for helping to make our sale of home-made candy and baking a success. The proceeds were approximately $35. We are sending $25 to the Sick Children's Hospital Fund and $10 to the Canadian March of Dimes.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The family of the late Mr. Rowe wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for cards, fruits, flowers and acts of kindness, also the doctors, nurses and Rev. Warren for his comforting words during Mr. Rowe's illness in York County hospital. We would like each and every one to take this as a personal message of thanks and appreciation.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Rigler, Keswick, wish to extend their sincere thanks to their friends and neighbors for the flowers, remembrances, cards and assistance on the occasion of their diamond wedding anniversary. We are deeply grateful to the many who called personally.

**ROADHOUSE & ROSE FUNERAL DIRECTORS**

MAIN STREET NEWMARKET

## DEATHS

**Atkinson**—At her home, Schomberg, on Friday, Jan. 27, 1950, Catherine Atkinson, widow of Geo. Atkinson, in her 87th year, mother of Ella (Mrs. E. M. Stewart), Gertrude, and grandmother of E. G. Stewart, Bolton.
Interment King City cemetery on Monday.

**Harrison** — Suddenly, on Saturday, Jan. 14, 1950, Robert W., aged 48 years, husband of Lillian (nee Alexy), of 455 Avon Ave., Newark, New Jersey; father of Mrs. Gilbert Farrow, Mrs. William Cronrath, Mrs. William Flachenhaar, Arlene Cousins and Linda Joy Harrison, son of Robert and Elizabeth Harrison, brother of Joseph, Richard and Bruce Harrison, Mrs. Edward Pruner and Mrs. Robert Calmayer.
Interment in Graceland Memorial Park, Kenilworth.

## WEDDING

Mrs. Fred Rogers, Queensville, announces the marriage of her daughter, Marion Maimie, to Mr. Gordon Thomas Elliott, which will take place on Saturday, Feb. 18, 1950, Newmarket.

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11 a.m.—The pastor
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7 p.m.—The pastor
"THE UNPARDONABLE SIN"
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Rev. Laurie Taylor, evangelist from California.
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Wednesday—Prayer meeting

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10 a.m.—Sunday-school
Miss Clara E. Crowder, Supt.
11 a.m.—Divine worship
7 p.m.—Evangelistic message
Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer service
Thursday, Feb. 2—W.M.S.

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FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 10 - MID-WINTER CHORAL FESTIVAL BY TRINITY JUNIOR CHOIR

Bobby Pennock, trumpeter; Orval Rice, boy soprano

## KESWICK

The diamond wedding anniversary Sunday, Jan. 29, of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Rigler was a happy occasion. About 200 friends called during the afternoon and evening from Toronto, Sutton, Newmarket and other points. Telegrams of congratulations were received from the King, the prime minister of Canada and the T. Eaton Co. as well as a shower of cards and phone calls. Flowers and gifts were also numerous. Roses from North Gwillimbury council, the W.A. of the United church, the W.M.S., the family and others.

Assisting the daughters, Mrs. Cecil Grant and Mrs. Ross Stiles, were Mrs. I. Waldon, Mrs. F. Peel, Mrs. Orval King, Miss M. Sprague, Mrs. Milford Rye, Mrs. Dan McGenerty, Mrs. George White, Mrs. R. Hobson, Miss B. Terry, Miss Eva Gilroy and the three granddaughters, Misses Helen, Ruth and Gertrude Stiles.

Mrs. Frank Perry and Mrs. Etta Wilder, Toronto, spent the weekend with friends and attended the Rigler's anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wright spent Sunday at their daughter's new home in Thorncrest.

The Eastern Star held a progressive euchre at the Worthy Matron Mrs. Art Pollock's home, Friday, Jan. 27. A large crowd attended. Proceeds for the Star fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Coulson Cameron were up from Toronto for the Eastern Star euchre Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grant, Vancouver and Toronto, were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Sidney Kettel.

Mr. Munro Mann was at home from Detroit for the weekend.

The weather is still decidedly changeable. The snow disappeared last week for a few days but January 31 the ground is again white and it is cold.

Mrs. George White, Keswick United church, was re-elected a vice president of the W.M.S., Toronto Centre Presbytery, at the annual meeting held in Eglinton United church Tuesday, Jan. 24. In spite of the hazardous driving conditions of that day 12 ladies from Keswick attended and report a fine meeting.

The regular meeting of the United church W.M.S. will be held next Wednesday, Feb. 8, in the Sunday-school room at 2.30.

The union prayer service will be held next Wednesday evening in the Christian church.

The newly organized United church Young People's Union with Bob Davidson as president meets every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All young folks are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hobson were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hobson.

Mrs. George Campbell visited her family in Toronto for a few days this week.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lepard on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

### LARGEST MEMBERSHIP

(Continued from Page 1)

Rangers meet every Friday evening. "A great work is being done by these leaders," he said.

J. E. Morris was elected chairman of the missionary and maintenance fund. Appreciation was expressed toward Fred Chantler, special canvasser appointed by the official board for the Missionary and Maintenance fund. A. F. Johns was elected recording steward.

The following elders were elected: for four years, Wesley Brooks, H. A. Jackson, Howard Hugo, L. H. Bovair, Garfield Farren, C. G. Wainman; for one year, S. Jefferson. Stewards elected for four years were G. L. Manning, R. D. Brown, A. M. Mills, J. E. Morris, Thos. B. Scott and Roy Rhinehart.

Rev. R. R. McMath gave the opening prayer followed by a period of silence in memory of those members of the congregation who died during the last year. Rev. J. A. Millar closed the meeting with a prayer. Entertainment followed by Dr. C. S. Gilbert as soloist and Edna Jaques who, between recitals of her poetry, described her experiences in Canada and the U.S. as a guest speaker.

### PLAN AFTERNOON TEA

The Scout-Guide Mothers' Auxiliary will hold an afternoon tea and bake sale in the Scout hall on Wednesday, Feb. 15. Mrs. N. R. Callaghan will convene the event. Proceeds will go to the campsite fund.

OBITUARY

### Frank G. Rowe

Frank G. Rowe, Queensville, died at Toronto General hospital on January 23 after a lengthy illness.

He was born at Burnhamthorpe in 1881, son of the late Osmond and Elizabeth Rowe. He lived in Barrie for 13 years before coming to Queensville in 1933, where he operated a general store before retiring. He was a member of the United church and took part in many of the activities of the community.

He is survived by his wife, the former Orpha Jennett, Barrie, and a daughter, Edna (Mrs. Ramsay Weddell), Belhaven, and a son, Gordon, Toronto. Also a sister, Mrs. Brethour, Udney, Ont., brothers Bert, Lansing, George, Toronto, Fred, Barrie.

Funeral service was conducted by Rev. Warren at the Strasler Funeral Home on January 25. Interment in Queensville cemetery.

Pallbearers were G. Pearson, Floyd Cunningham, J. L. Smith, J. Jardine, Roy Coates, F. Daniels.

## HOLT

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Couch and David spent Sunday with Mr. Couch's mother at Ajax.

The young people will hold their next meeting Friday, Feb. 10, in Holt church at 8 p.m. Henderson Sisters and group, Gormley, will provide music and program.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Rose and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Graves, Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Draper, Keswick, were callers at the home of the Harvey Gibney's last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Blizzard, Markham, had Thursday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lepard.

Mr. G. Rogers and Mrs. Allie Draper, Newmarket, spent Sunday at the home of Harvey Gibney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Coates and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Leitch, Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney had dinner on Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Huntley Taylor, Newmarket.

Miss Joyce Bosko is spending a few days with Mrs. Murray Varney, Newmarket.

Rev. and Mrs. N. A. Bosko and Floyd are spending a few days this week with Mrs. Bosko's sister in Kingston who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney had Monday night dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw, Sharon.

The young people are holding a skating party at Queensville rink on Thursday evening, Feb. 9.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coates Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Crone and Donna, Mount Albert, Mr. and Mrs. John Coates, Newmarket.

## PINE ORCHARD

Misses Helen Reid, Joan and Betty Sytema, Dorothy Radcliffe, Messrs. Stuart Starr and David Preston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moddle on Saturday night at Aurora

Mr. George Sproxton underwent an operation at York County hospital on Friday. Best wishes for a complete recovery.

Mrs. Edson Johnston and Mrs. J. Ash attended a leaders' course in connection with Homemakers' clubs in Newmarket last week.

**Gordon Link, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Link, had the misfortune to break through ice on Harper's pond on Saturday afternoon. The prompt action of John Bibby in rescuing Gordon from the water is to be commended.**

The W.I. will hold annual family night at the Union church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 8.

Miss Grace Sproxton is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sproxton, Aurora.

Kindly pay Blue Cross fees to Mrs. Edson Johnston by Feb. 10.

Mr. Harold Moddle delivered a most inspiring sermon on Sunday, Jan. 29, at Union church from text James 1, verse 17, "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above and cometh down from the Father of lights with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning."

Young People's on Friday night, Feb. 3. Rev. Rae of Toronto Bible College will be guest speaker and show pictures of college work. Good attendance is hoped for.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sytema who celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Jan. 28.

Mr. E. Brammer, Newmarket, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brammer, Cedar Valley.

OBITUARY

### Mrs. W. J. Cleland

Mrs. Christina E. Cleland passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. Miller, con. 2, King twp., on Friday, Jan. 20, in her 67th year.

She was born on the Cutting homestead on the third of King, the daughter of the late George Cutting and Mary Elizabeth White Cutting. She married William J. Cleland and in 1912 they moved to Mount Forest.

Following her husband's death in 1942 she had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Distefano (Joy), Detroit, and with her sister, Mrs. Miller (Etta), and her brother, G. T. Cutting.

Rev. D. Rae, Kettleby, conducted the funeral service held on Monday from Thompson's Funeral Home. Interment was in King cemetery.

Pallbearers were Leonard Hall, George Teasdale, Arthur Storey, Will Storey, Frank Williams and Almonte Appleton.

### BIRTHS

**Anderson**—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Feb. 1, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson, Baldwin, a son.

**Bishop**—At York County hospital, Monday, Jan. 30, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bishop, Newmarket, a daughter.

**Boar**—At York County hospital, Sunday, Jan. 29, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. James Boar, Baldwin, a son.

**Bondi** — At York County hospital, Wednesday, Feb. 1, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bondi, Newmarket, a daughter.

**Campbell**—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Feb. 1, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell, Richmond Hill, a son.

**Lotto**—At York County hospital, Saturday, Jan. 28, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Vito Lotto, R. R. 2, Newmarket, a daughter.

**McShane**—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Feb. 1, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McShane, Sharon, a son.

**Sutton**—At York County hospital, Monday, Jan. 30, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton, Newmarket, a daughter.

**Whittaker** — At York County hospital, Sunday, Jan. 29, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whittaker, Baldwin, a son.

**Young**—At York County hospital, Sunday, Jan. 29, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Young, R. R., Islington, a son.

### ENGAGEMENTS

The engagement is announced of Gloria Ethel, daughter of Mr. Peter E. Sweeney, Newmarket, and the late Mrs. Sweeney, to Mr. James M. Dodd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dodd, Aurora. The marriage will take place February 18, 1950.

# Of Interest to Women

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## Golden Glow Comments On Our Winter

**In last week's paper on Page 6, it told about an oriole being seen on Prospect Ave. South — and now the dates of daylight saving have been announced. It commences April 30 and continues till Sept. 24. Surely these items mean an early spring—or do they?**

**For nearly everyone you met the early part of the week greeted you with some remark about "now we will be having winter." It is the most unpredictable winter I ever recall. If having squirrels around all the time means an open winter then we are having it, for the squirrels abound everywhere, and in a letter I received from British Columbia, where they are enjoying (?) Ontario weater, I see that there hasn't been a squirrel in sight all winter.**

## News of the W.I. In North York

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

Last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Smith some 50 ladies of **Queensville** branch met, including a number of guests from the Sharon group. After a few words of welcome from the Queensville president, Mrs. Stanley Eves, the meeting was opened by the Institute Ode and the reading of the creed. Following the roll-call various items of interesting business matters were discussed and then the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Alan Shaw, the president of the Sharon Institute, who presented a splendid program enjoyed by all with Mrs. Harry Walker, Mrs. Frank Ramsay, Mrs. Harold Boyd, Mrs. Donaldson, Mrs. Kenneth Weddell and Mrs. Wm. Osler all taking part. A splendid lunch was served by the Queensville hostesses and the meeting closed with the National Anthem.

It is important that all those who are members of the Blue Cross see that their dues are paid to our Blue Cross secretary, Mrs. A. J. Milne, no later than Thursday, Feb. 9, without fail.

The **Gormley** branch held its regular meeting on January 25 at the home of Mrs. L. P. Evans in Aurora. There was an exceptionally fine attendance. There was considerable business and correspondence dealt with.

Mrs. R. H. Corner, Aurora, our district president, was our guest and gave us an instructive talk which was much appreciated. We were also pleased to have Mrs. Gillis and Mrs. Jones, Toronto, who still keep up membership in our branch at our meeting.

Miss Helen Baycroft, Aurora, gave us a splendid demonstration on candy making.

The meeting closed with God Save the King.

Mrs. A. Moulsman and Mrs. L. P. Evans served a delicious lunch followed by the candy made during demonstration.

The **Snowball** branch met at the home of Mrs. W. Blum on Tuesday, Jan. 31, with the pres., Mrs. H. Patrick, in the chair. The meeting opened with the Ode, followed by the collect. Twenty-two members were present and two guests. The roll call, "Give an advertising slogan and name the product it advertises" was answered by 19 members. Treasurer reported a substantial balance after a goodly number of expense items were deducted.

Our flower box convenor was active in remembering the sick of the community and sent one spray to deceased. Discussion regarding W.I. scholarships for Junior Institute and Junior Homemaking Club Girls be made the special project of all Ontario Institutes this year.

A motion carried that Snowball branch would be willing to raise $150 for a York township scholarship if and when branches in Centre York are willing to sponsor a drive to raise money. Committees appointed for our next euchre to be held in the school on the evening of Feb. 14. Mrs. Howard Morning kindly offered her home for our February meeting.

A motion passed that we donate $5 to Newmarket W.I. rest room.

Mr. John A. Meyer, our guest speaker, was introduced by our president and was interesting in his talk on "Publicity." He pointed out what different attitudes people have when they come to the newspaper office to submit their work. After the event much is expected of the editor one way or another, notwithstanding the person interested in the project concerned is the one who should make publicity a success, organize and go to work on the project planned. A contest on "Romance of flowers" was won by Mrs. Nesbitt. God Save the King, and a social half-hour.

OBITUARY

### Miss Mary Kelman

Miss Mary T. Kelman, Toronto, died at her home on January 25 after a short illness. Born in Barrie, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kelman.

Miss Kelman was employed as a room clerk at the King Edward hotel and was a member of St. Basil's church, Toronto. Some years ago she was associated with her father in a drug store business in Newmarket in the location now occupied by Best Drug store.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Frances Owen, Toronto.

Funeral service was held at St. John's church conducted by Rev. Father McCabe on January 26. Interment was made at St. John's cemetery.

Pallbearers were Frank Doyle, W. H. M. McCaffry, G. Osborne, Gene McGaffrey, Clare Doyle and T. F. Doyle.

## Mrs. Herman Bennitz Named Woman Of The Week On CKEY

Woman of the Week is the title being worn by Mrs. Herman Bennitz, 11 Millard Ave. This honor was conferred on Mrs. Bennitz by Mona Gould in her program, Listen Ladies, which is heard daily over CKEY. On Monday of each week a name is selected from the many submitted for this title and both the woman chosen and the person submitting that name receive a gift from the sponsoring firm.

In this case Mona Gould said that she was happy to choose Mrs. Bennitz' name for two reasons. First, she thought it was wonderful for a daughter to want to nominate her mother as Woman of the Week. It was Miss Dorothy Bennitz, Toronto, who wrote the charming letter from which Miss Gould read, and second, our radio commentator said, "when you hear all the things which this busy mother accomplishes you'll agree with me that she deserves to be chosen for this week's special woman."

In her letter Dorothy wrote that besides herself, at home there were three sisters and one brother ranging in age from 16 to six. Her father is associated with the National Research Council in Arnprior so that the major share of responsibility for the family and home is carried by her mother. Mrs. Bennitz does all her own work; is an active member in the Home and School Association and the Newmarket Handcraft club in which group her chief interest is smocking. She makes pin money through this latter talent by supplying beautifully smocked dresses to a shop in Owen Sound. Mrs. Bennitz is one of the regular packers of parcels for Britain under the town's United Emergency Fund for Britain plan.

"With all these activities," said Miss Gould, "we asked this busy lady if she ever had any time for herself and she replied, 'Why yes, I skate and bowl for recreation.'"

Dorothy described her mother as being "happy-go-lucky and a real peach". She said that if anyone in the family is sick, "Mom is the first one there and sees that we have every attention." She said her mother described their home as resembling Union Station for one never knew when or why someone would drop in. "When I'm home weekends the house is always open to my friends and Mom makes up a lunch and always welcomes all comers."

Newmarket residents are accustomed to its busy women and frequently lets them go unnoticed until attention is called to their activities by outside sources. We are all familiar with Mrs. Bennitz bustling with seemingly endless energy from one task to another. This summer attention was drawn to the magnificent work of Dorothy Bowman in our town through an article in Coronet and from Kate Aitken, director of women's activities of the CNE, came further praise for many of our local women who are taking a prominent place in the municipal, cultural and educational life of our town.

## NEED GREATER CO-OPERATION IN SURVEY WORK

In the last week 120 Newmarket residents failed to keep their appointments at the diabetes clinic after they had been canvassed by volunteer workers and had appointments made for them. The loss of time will extend the work of the clinic by three or four days since all these people must be re-contacted and new appointments made.

Citizens are asked to co-operate with the survey by arriving at the clinic on time. The clinic is closed following the 10 o'clock and 2 p.m. appointments so people with those appointments are asked to arrive promptly as are all others.

Newmarket has set a high standard in the canvassing through the schools, factories and businesses. It is to be hoped that the house-to-house canvassing will prove equally successful.

### HOLD BANQUET

The Women's Association of St. Andrew's church catered to two agricultural organizations at their banquets last week. The Jersey Cow Breeders' Association held its banquet in the basement of the church on Tuesday and on the following day the Hog Producers' Association held its at the same location.

### MOVED TO BURLINGTON

Mr. Ike Williamson has been transferred from Sudbury to the Hamilton-Niagara district. Mr. and Mrs. Williamson have purchased a home in Burlington where they will move the first of March.

## Require Volunteers For Survey Canvass

An appeal is being made for additional canvassers to assist with the diabetic survey which is currently being conducted in Newmarket. Already a large group of local women have volunteered their time, but new workers are needed. Even if you are only able to give an afternoon or a morning to canvassing, your assistance will be welcomed.

Older women who feel that they are unable to do the house-to-house canvassing may assist at the public health office in the checking and re-checking of the reports. To a few women has fallen the task of daily attendance at the office. As the fifth week has almost been completed the public will realize how great has been their contribution of time and energy. Many of the women in town whose children have grown up and are more or less free of home ties could greatly assist.

To offer help phone 539 during the day or 736 at night.

## Illtyd Harris' Pupils Music Festival Winners

Three Aurora girls, singing pupils of Illtyd Harris, competed in the East York Music Festival last week and all were successful in winning medals.

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One basic principle applies to all egg cooking—cook at low temperature. Eggs coagulate at temperatures considerably below the boiling point of water. A properly cooked egg is delicate and tender and easily digested, whether soft-cooked or hard-cooked.

When a custard sauce misbehaves and curdles—owing to an excess of heat—the condition may be corrected by quickly pouring the sauce into a cold bowl and beating vigorously with a rotary egg beater.

Hard-cooked eggs may be used in creamed dishes, scallops and salads as well as for garnishing. To prevent those dark circles around the "eyes" of hard cooked eggs, cook at simmering temperature (180 degrees) and cool quickly in cold water. The dark ring around the yolk is harmless but unattractive.

**EGG CROQUETTES**

**1 Tbsp. chopped onion**
**3 Tbsp. fat**
**6 Tbsp. flour**
**1½ Cups milk**
**2 Cups cooked macaroni (1 Cup ½" pieces uncooked)**
**4 Hard-cooked eggs**
**1 Tbsp. chopped parsley**
**½ Tsp. salt**
**⅛ Tsp. pepper**
**⅛ Tsp. poultry seasoning**
**¾ Cup fine, dry bread crumbs**

Cook onion in melted fat, until lightly browned. Blend in flour, add milk slowly and cook over low heat until thickened, stirring constantly. Stir in the macaroni, chopped hard-cooked eggs, parsley and seasonings. Chill mixture thoroughly. Shape into croquettes about the size and shape of eggs. Roll in bread crumbs and sauté in a little hot fat in frying pan until brown on all sides. Yield: six servings.

**EGG AND POTATO CASSEROLE**

**¼ Cup fat**
**¼ Cup flour**
**2 Cups milk**
**Salt, pepper and paprika**
**4 Cups cooked potatoes, cubed**
**6 Hard-cooked eggs**
**Cracker crumbs or grated cheese**

Melt fat. Blend in flour. Add milk gradually and stir until sauce thickens. Season to taste with salt, pepper and paprika. Put alternate layers of potatoes, sliced hard-cooked eggs and sauce in greased baking dish. Sprinkle top with cracker crumbs or grated cheese. Bake in hot oven 400 degrees, about 15 minutes. Yield: six servings.

**EGG SHORTCAKE**

**2 Tbsp. fat**
**2 Tbsp. minced onion (optional)**
**4 Tbsp. flour**
**2 Cups milk**
**1 Tsp. salt**
**¼ Tsp. pepper**
**½ Tsp. curry powder**
**1 Cup drained, canned peas**
**5 Hard-cooked eggs**

Melt fat, add onion and cook for five minutes, do not brown. Blend in flour, add milk and stir constantly until mixture thickens. Add salt, pepper, curry powder, peas and hard-cooked eggs cut in quarters. Cook ten minutes. Pour mixture between and over layers of split, hot tea biscuits. Yield: six servings.

## ANNUAL MEETING ELECT ST. PAUL'S 1950 OFFICIALS

St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket, held its annual Vestry meeting on Monday evening with the rector, Rev. J. T. Rhodes, in the chair. The meeting opened with prayer, after which the rector gave his report for 1949. The vestry clerk, Mr. G. James, read the minutes of the last meeting, after which election of officers for 1950 was held with this result: vestry clerk, Mr. G. James; rector's warden, Mr. A. Revill; people's warden, Mr. J. B. Waterhouse; lay delegates, Mr. A. D. Evans and Mr. James Crossland; parochial council, the rector, wardens, lay delegates and Mr. J. O. Little, honorary member. Auditors, Mr. J. Crossland and Mr. T. Gillespie; envelope sec., Mr. George Hoare.

The reports of each organization in the church were then heard and approved. The rector summed it all up in a splendid address and closed the meeting, after which the members of the Ladies' Aid served refreshments and a social hour was enjoyed. There was a splendid attendance of church members and the work of the new year was given a wonderful start.

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

**Earl Smith, Newmarket, eight years old on Friday, Jan. 27.**

**John Asheroft, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 15 years old on Monday, Jan. 30.**

**Murray Rainsford Moffat, Arnprior, 13 years old on Monday, Jan. 30.**

**Eric Smith, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 12 years old on Monday, Jan. 30.**

**Shirley Mary Smith, R. R. 3, Newmarket, seven years old on Monday, Jan. 30.**

**Brian Ross Jones, Newmarket, two years old on Monday, Jan. 30.**

**June Gilpin, Newmarket, 13 years old on Tuesday, Jan. 31.**

**Robert LeGresley, Newmarket, two years old on Tuesday, Jan. 31.**

**Donna Isabel Barber, Newmarket, 11 years old on Tuesday, Jan. 31.**

**Marlene Martin, Newmarket, 14 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 1.**

**Evelyn Allen, R. R. 1, Mount Albert, nine years old on Wednesday, Feb. 1.**

**Margaret Holborn, Belhaven, 14 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 1.**

**Charles Oliver Holly, Holland Landing, six years old on Thursday, Feb. 2.**

**Gloria Alfreda Stevenson, Keswick, four years old on Thursday, Feb. 2.**

**Sandra Lee Burd, Kettleby, seven years old on Thursday, Feb. 2.**

Send in your name, address, age and become a member of The Newmarket Era and Express Birthday club.

## TRINITY CHURCH, AURORA, ELECTS 1950 EXECUTIVE

The annual vestry meeting of Aurora's 104-year-old Trinity church was held on Monday in the parish hall. The rector presided and Mr. W. Coleman was elected Vestry Clerk for the year.

The Rector spoke of the faithful and effective work of Mr. Lorne Lee, who had served for 11 years as rector's warden. Mr. E. J. Eveleigh was appointed rector's warden, and Mr. W. H. MacGirr was re-elected people's warden.

The meeting commended the sidesmen for their work, and requested Mr. John Murphy to continue as convenor. Mr. W. Adams was re-elected as envelope secretary for 1950.

The lay delegates to synod for this year will be Mr. Riley Youngs and Mr. J. L. Wright, with Mr. J. Offord and Mr. S. C. Chapman as alternates. The motion of thanks to various parish organizations was proposed by Mr. E. J. Eveleigh in a short talk which reviewed some of the life of former days in the parish.

The ladies of the Chancel guild served refreshments.

**W.C.T.U. MEET**

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Meads, Main St. N., on Tuesday, Feb. 7, at 3 p.m.

—Mr. Clarence Holloway visited at the home of Mrs. R. Smith on Monday.

## IT'S A Woman's World

BY CAROLINE E. ION

When we started our column last week, we had intended telling you a little about Sunnybrook hospital itself as well as about the speaker of that evening, Louis Bromfield. But as usually happens our words and space were used up for the latter and so Sunnybrook had to wait another week.

If you have not had the opportunity of visiting Sunnybrook as yet, you have a tremendous surprise in store for you. It is a truly magnificent structure and even further construction is underway. The lobby, reception rooms, mess halls, etc., rival many of the most elite hotels in the beauty of their murals, draperies and limed plywood walls. Chrome rails guard the curved stairway leading downstairs to the large auditorium in which the meeting of January 19 was held.

Baskets of gorgeous flowers grouped near ferns and palms are to be found in the main waiting rooms and throughout the building. The entrance hall is on a level with the outside steps and from it a series of stairs lead on the left to a waiting room, the long wall of which is covered with a mural depicting the wild animals of Canada and the provincial crests. Modern, comfortable furniture upholstered in leather, low tables and lamps in the same limed oak finish to match the walls and heavy homespun draperies in deep green, tan and brown colors make it an inviting room. Another group of three or four stairs takes one from the foyer to the corridors which cross at right angles and seem to stretch infinitely long before you. This split-level arrangement makes the entrance even more interesting and emphasizes the massive doors and grouping of ceiling-to floor windows.

At the entrance to the grounds one passes a memorial which is quite striking in its simplicity. Nearby is the Red Cross building where, we understand, that relatives from out-of-town visiting their boys in Sunnybrook could stay. Last summer when we were down it made a wonderful picture with the big French glass doors opened to the terraces and groups of happy veterans visiting their families. families.

In the mess hall that evening bingo was in progress and the room was crowded with the up-patients and those in their wheel chairs. A Toronto service club was sponsoring the affair and we learned that similar entertainments are held at least three times a week for the patients. This is a hospital where the patients definitely receive top priority. The meals are said to be very good with a great variety in the menus, something which must be enormously difficult when cooking in such large quantities. In the writing room, canteen and lounge we saw the same use of excellent interior decorating to create an atmosphere of cheer and comfort. The auditorium walls were covered in tapestry and the acoustics was very good.

Returning through the basement following the conclusion of our meeting we felt as we walked down the seemingly endless stretches of corridors that we were in a small town. For just as in a small town, we have our Main St. with its merchants offering the various needs for living in that community so off this corridor opened the doors into the departments which mean the successful return to normal living for the patients at Sunnybrook.

Over and above the wonderment at the grandeur of the building and the thankfulness that our country and we the people are able to repay our wounded by providing as we should the best in medical and theraputic services for their well-being, was the dreadful realization of why such a building was necessary — that for many a boy it would be all he would know for the remainder of his days. It made us shudder that such a thing might happen again and take the young of the coming generation. It made us very conscious of those who were not even fortunate enough to have their sons, husbands and brothers come back to Sunnybrook. Perhaps it is not for us to question—why? Why? But it is for us to see that another Sunnybrook is never necessary.

YOUNG HOPEFULS BY DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

## Folly Of Poor Guidance

Leonard, teenager, gets into serious difficulties because he is afraid and ashamed to admit his errors and deficiencies to his parents.

In Leonard's case, his parents had always praised him beyond his worth and had always taken his side in all controversies. Seemingly, as far as they were concerned this only child of theirs was perfect, he could do no wrong so nothing was ever his fault—he was simply beyond reproach of any kind.

Ever since Leonard could remember his parents had found excuses to absolve him from often justified penalties. As a result, Leonard grew up under his parents' cloak of over-protection and frequently escaped his just dues. This tended to make him unpopular with the neighborhood boys, who didn't have such solicitous parents.

Leonard, as a teenager, became easy prey to a gang of hoodlums. In contrast to the cool reception he received from the young people, whose parents had followed his parents' lead and set him up as a 'model young man,' the gang treated him like a 'big shot.' Leonard responded to the treatment and endeavored to be worthy of his new title. He squandered his allowance on the gang then used his savings—all without his parents' knowledge.

From the beginning, Leonard knew his parents wouldn't approve of the gang or the way he was squandering money. So — instead of telling them with whom he was associating, he invented alibis to account for the time spent away from home. He faked reasons for needing extra allowance—then did considerable bragging on that score to retain his status as 'big shot.'

The gang soon had Leonard where they wanted him. They threatened to phone his parents and tell them how he had been spending his time and money. If Leonard could have felt free to confide in his parents at this juncture, much grief would have been spared him and his family. However, he didn't know how to admit error to his parents, who thought of him as incapable of any wrong, who had never listened to any adverse criticism regarding him. Their attitude had closed the way for confession of guilt and Leonard was too ashamed to face them.

The gang had an all-powerful position in Leonard's life because he had no one to whom to turn for understanding and advice. The gang had planned a theft and it was so arranged that Leonard would be the one to take the rap for it. Fortunately, the scheme failed; and, fortunately for Leonard, three of the gang were apprehended with him and since it was his first offence and definitely a frame-up in the eyes of the law, Leonard was simply put on probation and his parents acquainted with his predicament and their own responsibility in the matter.

Never should parents so pedestal their children that there is no understanding of their imperfections. Recognition of imperfections in others and acceptance of those imperfections leaves the way open to those who need understanding, confession and guidance.

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## AURORA SOCIAL NEWS

Miss Rose, Toronto, is spending holidays with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Spence, Wellington St.

Miss Frances Hurst, Richmond Hill, was a weekend guest of Mrs. M. L. Andrews and Miss M. Andrews, Harrison Ave.

Mrs. George Dessureault was a weekend guest of Mrs. M. L. Andrews, Harrison Ave.

## Anne Stephenson Winner East Toronto Festival

Anne Stephenson, Oak Ridges, a pupil of Illtyd Harris, Aurora, won the 17-19 years class for sopranos at the East Toronto Music Festival last week. She was awarded a gold medal and a $25 scholarship. Anne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lavergne Stephenson, Oak Ridges.

## Newmarket Social News

—Herb Cain, Hersey, is visiting his wife and family at home. He had his ankle broken in a hockey game on January 22.

—Master Paull Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murray, is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hallman, Welland.

—Miss Dorothy Bennitz, Toronto, spent the weekend at home with her mother, Mrs. Herman Bennitz, and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Graves and family visited on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Milton Graves and family in Mount Albert.

—Mrs. Ike Williamson, Sudbury, accompanied by her daughter, Jane, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. E. Nesbitt.

—Mr. W. A. Blencowe spent the weekend in Oshawa at the home of his son and daugater-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blencowe, and children.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Wrightman spent the weekend in Barrie with Mr. and Mrs. Carman Wrightman and family.

—Miss Dell Morris, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Traviss last week.

—Mr. Bruce Lloyd, Fort Frances, Ontario, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Beatrice Brown, this week and calling on old friends while in town.

—Mrs. Gordon Trusty and son, Wayne, Ottawa, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Walter Calvert.

—Michael McCaffrey, Lucknow, spent the weekend in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey.

—Mrs. Alice Welburn, Mr. Arthur Coltham, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Archer, New Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Coltham.

—Mrs. May Graham, Toronto, Mrs. Hubert Tunney, Aurora, and Mr. George Broome, Toronto, visited Mrs. Leo Tunney on Sunday.

—Miss Doreen Smith was one of the models in the fashion snow, "Prelude to Lohengrin", which was presented by the Thota club in co-operation with the T. Eaton Co. Ltd. for three days this week in the Georgian Room. Proceeds from the showing went to aid tubercular children at the Weston hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Watson, Toronto, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Lepard.

—Miss May Reynolds, Stroud, was a weekend guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Coltham.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lyon and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Jones attended the Robbie Burns banquet and dance in Toronto last Thursday.

—Misses Bernice Darrach and Lorraine Wass spent the weekend in Toronto visiting Mrs. Stan Starette and friends.

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—Miss Ruth Keffer spent the weekend at Lindsay visiting her grandfather.

—Mr. Jack Manning spent the week[illegible] at his home in Lindsay.

—Guests at the home of Mrs. R. Smith on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Romer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Smith and granddaughter, Bernice, Ravenshoe, and Mr. E. Tunks and Miss Flo Sullivan, Kapuskasing.

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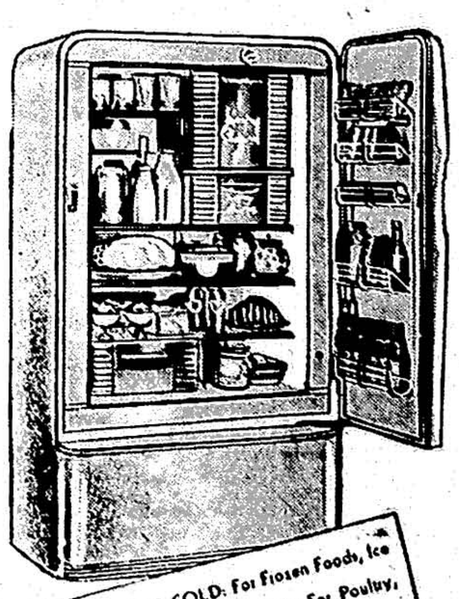

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SHOPPING WITH BETTY

## Glamorous In Rhinestone, Aqua

Looking for a Valentine gift? Saw something special for your number one lady in a Newmarket store. It's an attractive rhinestone and aqua stone pin with silver mounting. Very beautifully made and the stones are highly polished. Lovely at the throat of a white blouse.

— B —

There's an attractive pleated skirt in a shop in Newmarket. Dark green with pleats of red, yellow and brown, that flash when you walk, it's very spring-like and young.

— B —

Something sweet to send for a Valentine gift or instead of a Valentine is a hankie in Burke's. Made of fine white linen, edged with lace, it has red hearts appliqued in the corners.

— B —

One of the men's wear stores in Newmarket has some lovely ladies' snow mitts at reduced prices. Some are bunny fur backs with wool jersey palms and others are shearling with pigtex in colors of red, pink, blue and black.

— B —

I saw a very chic dress in one of the Newmarket shops. In navy and white figured crepe it has a v-neck, cap sleeves and soft gathers on the bodice. The jacket has long sleeves and is tailored except for the slight peplum effect at the back. A red carnation pinned to the jacket gives it that added something.

— B —

Something a little different in men's slippers seen in a store on Main St. was scuffs. They are tanned calfskin with shearling lining, in natural and various colors. A very attractive pair is tan and white calfskin with rose shearling.

— B —

A stunning earring and two-pin set by Coro at Yate's Jewellery store is large pseudo baroque pearls with gold edging. I have noticed these earrings worn by several models in Vogue magazine. This set really enhances a plain costume.

— B —

**A tip from Betty:** Hats this spring will be gay with flowers. Try a pink blouse with a red skirt. Very charming; Time to start thinking about your new spring wardrobe.


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## A. E. BUNN WEDS CHILLIWACK GIRL

A crystal-studded sterling choker, gift of the groom, was worn by Sheila Jean, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, Chilliwack, B.C., when she exchanged rings with Alan Ernest Bunn. The groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bunn, Roche's Point.

Rev. W. J. T. Clarke officiated at the ceremony in St. Thomas' Anglican church January 2. Joe Moore, RCSME, was best man while ushers were Tom Brown and Norman Brown, brothers of the bride.

Mrs. E. J. Edmonds was organist and Mrs. Wallden sang "Because".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore lace-trimmed slipper satin styled with tightly fitted bodice. From a crystal-studded headpiece her long veil of brocaded net extended to the end of her train. Red roses were carried for contrast.

Mrs. Henry Voth, Vancouver, was matron of honor, wearing blue organza with matching Julian cap. Pink carnations formed her bouquet.

Reception was held in St. Thomas' parish hall where the bridal party received under an archway decorated in pastel tones.

Following a wedding trip to Washington State the young couple have taken up residence in Chilliwack.

## British-Israelites Begin Lecture Series Here

Thursday evening, Jan. 26, there was a British-Israel meeting in Newmarket town hall, sponsored by the British-Israel world federation headquarters in Toronto, the first of a series to be given each month. The first monthly meeting was in charge of Rev. E. A. Couldrey, a field-secretary of the organization. Next month, on Thursday, March 2, the meeting will be addressed by Mr. Joseph Sproule, who is also a field-secretary for the federation.

Mr. Couldrey explained the object and aims of the British-Israel federation; and in subsequent addresses a reasonable explanation, and the logical solution for the difficulties which now face humanity, will be put forward. These lectures aim to explain world events clearly.

Mexican draftees combine mechanical farm work with their year's military training.

Just in case it should go out, a spare flame followed each of the 2,000 athletes who relayed the torch from Olympia, Greece, to the London Olympics.

To train Italian war orphans in marine trades, American workers gave a quarter million dollars toward a home for them, recently opened in Sicily.

The validity of a will scratched on the fender of a tractor by a man who died underneath it, has been upheld by the Surrogate Court of Saskatchewan.

## EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS
by Don Graham

Have you ever felt that you had reached the "end of your rope"?

Most of us have this experience at least once in a lifetime—perhaps after working long at a seemingly impossible task, or finding ourselves in a serious predicament. So it is a good thing to remember that we have within ourselves extra reserves which can carry us through many a crisis.

There is plenty of evidence to prove this fact. Countless stories of heroism reveal the human capacity to endure unbelievable stress, hardship and pain. More than one victim of a disaster at sea, struggling in icy water, felt sure that he wouldn't survive for five minutes. Yet many hours later he was still hanging on and thus lived to be rescued.

Such endurance may be demonstrated not only in connection with physical trials, but also those which are mental and emotional. And if you can keep hanging on, perhaps for even just a little while longer, the success or relief you seek will be yours!

In short, there is a whole world of truth in the old saying: "It's always darkest just before the dawn".

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## The Common Round...

*By Isabel Inglis Colville*

THE ART SHOW

On Saturday afternoon as I climbed the breath-taking steps of the town hall I asked myself, "Why am I coming to this exhibition," and I found among many two reasons which stood out.

The first—I was proud to live near a town which had artists and that those artists were willing to let the town's folk see the beauty they preserved through their various media for the delectation of the onlookers.

The second reason was that I wanted to browse about to my heart's content and pick out pictures I would like—if I could afford it—to have on the walls of our home—in imagination placing them here and there, in this light or that. It was a fascinating occupation and I spent three hours at it—sometimes alone, sometimes in company with Mrs. Walter Stephens or Mrs. Bovair or Mrs. Gibney, who all contributed something for my enlightenment while we agreed or disagreed on the merits of various pictures

Not being a connoisseur, I went by what I would like to look at—to rest me, to send my thoughts travelling over placid water or stormy seas—in short, to add to my daily life something of nature that otherwise I could not often see—hence my preference for water scenes. Having lived for 18 years beside the mighty St. Lawrence and with a husband brought up on the sea coast, we both feel starved for one thing—water!

Now, water seems a very popular subject for artists, too, and in my browsing about, I picked out some pictures, that, were I rich, I should like to look at daily—"Looking up Devil's Lake and Burnt River" by Mrs. Walter Stephens. I wanted to step into a canoe and float on those blue lake waters and hear the birds I knew would be in the bordering woods. This is what I want in a picture.

I coveted, somewhat, two pictures of Mr. Hopkinson's—one of Georgian Bay and one of Lake Kashawigamog — I hope that's right—and there was a Reflection of Winter scene in water of Mr. Chadwick's that I could live with very comfortably as with many of his other paintings.

Then a word or two about the photographs. Those who know my love for cats will not wonder that Mr. McMorrow's "Our Kitty", charmed me by its grace and truth. For often have I seen similar scenes. In contrast to this his "Breakers" depicted water at its wildest.

Cloud Lake by Gladman, Eventide and Long Trail by Green, a Trillium by W. Stephens I enjoyed.

Just as I was leaving I saw some paintings of Mr. Cawthra's but had no time to access their value to me. Looking back I am trying to put on paper what I learned. I learned from Mrs. W. Stephens that I am old fashioned because some of the newer styles of painting do not appeal to me.

If I had a huge house and could afford to stand off at great distances I might like what I, in my dreadful ignorance, call the rough effects of some paintings. I love purity of outline and truth of detail—I don't see it in those. I learned from observation and conversation the extreme necessity of placing pictures properly in regard to light and position and I learned that I love pictures more and more. Wasn't that enough for one afternoon?

## St. Paul's Church Holds Annual Vestry Meeting

The annual vestry meeting of St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket, was held on Monday evening of this week when the election of officers for the coming year was held and reports from all the different organizations of the church were presented. There has been a change in the St. Paul's Boys' Club — from now on boys over 12 years of age, called the Senior Boys' Club, will meet for work on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. The opening session of the Hobby Club was held last night. The Junior Boys' Club, or boys from 9 to 12, will meet on Tuesday evenings from 6.30 to 8.30. The work room in the lower hall is now ready and equipped for work, and regular meetings will continue throughout the winter and spring months.

Next Thursday, Feb. 9, will be the regular monthly devotional and business meeting of the afternoon branch of the W.A. The evening branch will hold its regular Dorcas meeting on Monday evening, Feb. 6. The parochial guild will hold its next meeting Tuesday, Feb. 7, at the home of Mrs. R. Wonch, Srigley St. The parochial guild is planning a St. Patrick's tea and bake sale March 17.

Next Sunday is Septuagesima Sunday, or the third Sunday before Ash Wednesday, the first day of lent.

Citizens of historic Brest, France, experienced 41 days of continuous street fighting before the Germans were driven out.

In terms of our money, in Italy today it takes $48 to match the buying power of that country's pre-war $1.

## Guide Association Tea At W. A. McCaffrey Home

A delightful afternoon tea was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey by the Girl Guide Local Association on Thursday, Jan. 26. Receiving the guests were Mrs. M. E. R. Boudreau, district commissioner and the hostess. Mrs. S. W. Otton convened the affair which was exceptionally well attended.

The table was centred with a beautiful spring bouquet of daffodils and iris, flanked by lighted candles. Pouring were Mrs. Gordon Manning, Mrs. C. E. Wheeland, Mrs. H. A. Jackson and Mrs. Fred Lundy. Assisting were the leaders of the Guides and members of the association. Brownies and Guides welcomed the guests at the door.

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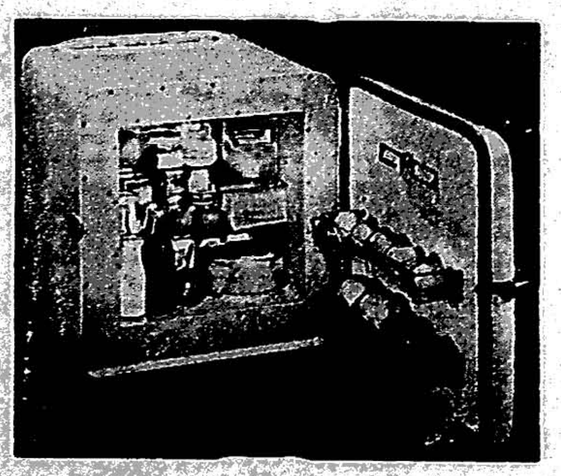

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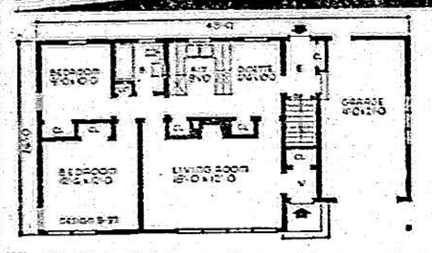


**THE CLARIDGE** has the attached garage under the same roof to give a larger appearance. There are two bedrooms, living room, kitchen-dinette, and a full basement, except under the garage. The blank wall between house and garage is well utilized for stairs and vestibules.

There are closets in both vestibules, two in kitchen-dinette, a linen closet in bedroom hall, wardrobe type closets in bedrooms. Rear vestibule leads to basement, garage, kitchen.

All rooms open into six foot hall, reducing waste space and providing free circulation between rooms. The kitchen and bathroom plumbing with laundry below simplifies plumbing installation. The centrally located chimney permits location of furnace in centre of house.

The exterior is finished with wide siding, and the two foot overhanging roof has asphalt shingles.

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HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

# 'Perennials' Topic of John F. Clark

"Perennials form the backbone of any garden and it will always remain so," said John F. Clark when he spoke before a joint meeting of the Horticultural Society and the Home and School Association in the town hall on Jan. 24. "We still grow the old favorites, but Grandma would hardly recognize them today. The hybridist, hobbyist and commercial nurseryman have all been at work on the flowers. In the perennial border we have flowers whose native habitat covers the entire world. The size of these flowers over the past years has been increased, the color intensified, the color range enriched, perfume has been incorporated into ones that originally had no scent and single flowers have been developed into double types.

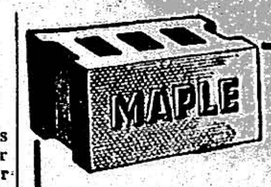
"Whenever we stop to realize that for 10 to 25 cents we enter a seed store and purchase a package of seeds—the results of years of work, experimentation and experience. Hundreds of plants have been discarded. The ones which we buy did not just happen, but their evolution was carefully planned with the weak, frail varieties being cast aside. A variety of iris which cost $25 25 years ago is now available to us for only 15 cents.

"Consider if this society purchased 100 packages of perennial seed and each member were given half a package of seed to grow. Later from each half-package would come anywhere from 10 to 25 healthy plants and the members could trade among themselves. How long would it take for all Newmarket to have a profusion of perennials in their gardens?"

Mr. Clark illustrated two types of uses for perennials — the perennial border and the rock garden where the choice, smaller varieties fit. The latter he thought more interesting because of the greater numbers of plants which can be grown in a small area, but anyone can have a perennial border and it will give a better show of bloom for the full season. Mr. Clark said that from only three classes of rock garden plants one could obtain 250 varieties.

Each mention of a perennial was accompanied by a colored slide. Pictures of beautiful rockeries in the Ottawa and Toronto regions and even as far north as Kapuskasing were shown by Mr. Clark. Likewise many lovely perennial borders were shown. He illustrated every point in his talk with these fine slides and made it very simple for even the beginners, to whom the botanical names present a problem, to follow and enjoy. Mr. Clark is well known for his easy manner as a public speaker and after listening to him on Tuesday evening it is soon realized why he is in such demand throughout the province as a speaker.

Fifty percent of the Canadian dollars Britain earns today come from the shipping of textiles to this country.

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# CANADIAN PLOWMEN ABROAD

by ALEX McKINNEY Jr. ★ Director
ONTARIO PLOWMEN'S ASSOCIATION

On board the Queen Mary somewhere on the Atlantic. This is the first day out of New York and it is Friday, Jan. 13. All superstitious notions to the contrary the weather is clear, the sea calm and seasickness hasn't yet taken hold of any of us. By us I mean Jim Eccles, Brampton, and Ron Marquis, Sunderland, the 1949 Canadian champion plowmen, and myself. We are on our way overseas to take part in plowing matches in Great Britain and to see how things are done on the other side of the Atlantic.

Imperial Oil is sponsoring the trip. In the past Imperial divided the honors and the costs wth another firm. Instead of spending all of the time in the United Kingdom the champion plowmen this year will shorten their stay in the U.K. and visit West Germany, Holland and Denmark. This change in itinerary was made at our request and we are paying the extra costs involved in visiting the continent. Another change is that we will fly back to Canada.

Ronald Marquis

Ronald Marquis, the gold medal horse plowman, is the youngest member of the group. He is 28 years of age, single, and lives with his father, Lloyd Marquis, on a 150 - acre farm near Sunderland, about eight miles north of Uxbridge, Ont. Ron has been a contestant at plowing matches for the past 15 years and he has won half a dozen gold watches plus a quantity of silver cups and trays at International and county matches.

Jim Eccles

Jim Eccles, winner in the tractor class, hails from Brampton and is my next door neighbor. He is 30 years of age, married and works a 425-acre mixed farm. Like Ron Marquis, Jim has been taking part in plowing matches for the past 15 years. For the last four years he has been trying for top place in the Esso Champions at the International.

And now in describing my activities I would first like to mention that all of us have much in common. Besides being members of pioneer Canadian families all of us raise purebred cattle and we look forward to visiting some of the famous herds in the old countries such as the Aberdeen - Angus, Guernsey, Herefords and others whose progeny are so popular in Canada.

Since October 14 at Burford (at the close of the 1949 International Plowing Match) when we were informed that we would be going overseas, it has been a busy period. Preparations for the trip have involved us in passports, visas, foreign exchange and numerous other governmental and transportation regulations, but we managed to cope with them.

But when we gathered in Toronto on January 10 to attend a farewell luncheon at the Royal York hotel we were addressed by Col. Tom Kennedy, Ontario minister of agriculture; C. D. Graham, Ontario deputy minister of agriculture; Louis G. N. M. Ravensloot, the Netherlands vice consul in Toronto; G. W. Mills of Imperial Oil and J. A. Carroll, secretary-manager of the Ontario Plowmen's Association and others. They all wished us God speed.

My first impression of New York was that it had changed a lot since I saw it last many years ago. All the street cars have gone and only one elevated railway remains. The New Yorkers get around by taxis, buses and underground railways, something the people in Toronto will soon be doing.

During a tour of the city we spent more than an hour in the observation tower of the Empire State building, the tallest building in the world, and because of the perfect visibility we could see for more than 15 miles in every direction. We really saw New York spread out beneath us. We had lunch and saw the ice show at the Centre Theatre, followed by a television and studio tour at N.B.C.

At night while the boys decided to make their own tour of the big city I went out to see my brother, who lives about 35 miles from New York. I returned in the morning during rush hours and that proved to be an experience!

The Queen Mary is said to be the largest ship afloat and I can well believe it. Imagine a ship 75 rods long or about 1,250 feet —as long as the Empire State building is high — and you get some idea of its size. It has accommodation for 2,000 passengers, carries a crew of 1,100 and is equipped to supply everything that makes for comfort and pleasure. It is truly a city afloat.

And so here we are, passengers on the Queen Mary far out in the Atlantic and heading for England and it is time to bring my first newsletter to a close. You will be hearing more about the champion Canadian plowmen and about how they make out in the overseas matches, but I would like to emphasize that the boys feel that they will not be competing as individuals but as representatives of the 1,178 boys who plowed at Burford.

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## QUEENSVILLE

Mrs. Angus Smith attended the funeral of her aunt, Miss Annabelle Ross, Reg. N., in Toronto on Tuesday.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Frank Rowe and family.

Mr. Alfred Groves, King, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. N. Still.

Mr. Dick Cranley, Huntsville, is visiting his brother and sister.

Blue Cross hospitalization fees are now due. Will you please pay them to Mrs. Sandy Milne on Thursday, Feb. 9, either in the afternoon or evening.

Mr. Norman Gibney received a cut in his face at the hockey game. It necessitated several stitches.

On Friday evening, Jan. 27, a Youth Rally was held at the Baptist church. Rev. L. R. Coupland, Aurora, beautifully illustrated the hymn, "Day is Dying in the West," in an illuminated pastel drawing. Special music was also rendered. Then Rev. Coupland gave a very fine address.

On Sunday, Feb. 5, a special children's choir will sing in the United church under the direction of Mrs. J. L. Smith.

The school children enjoyed a half holiday on Friday afternoon while the teachers attended the teachers' meeting at Keswick.

On Tuesday, Feb. 7, the W.A. is holding its regular monthly meeting. The hostesses are Mrs. L. Rollings, Mrs. E. V. Warren, Mrs. Fred Dew, Mrs. Harry Smith and Mrs. Terry Doane.

On Monday evening, Jan. 30, a meeting of the executive of the Evening Auxiliary was held at the home of the president to plan the work for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Taylor and Muriel, New Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gooding and Eileen, Gormley, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Milsted.

A number of our community have been ill with bad colds and 'flu.

Don't forget the euchre on Friday night, Feb. 3, in the school house in aid of our library.

## RAVENSHOE

Those attending the W.M.S. at the home of Mrs. Alec Hamilton last Wednesday enjoyed a most inspiring program put on by Mrs. Ted Breen, Mrs. Ralph Holborn, Mrs. Frank Perry and Mrs. Irvine Rose. The topic, "Health and Healing," was taken from the book, "Growing with the Years." There were 18 present including Rev. G. Campbell. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Hamilton.

The community extends its heartfelt sympathy to Ronald Breen who underwent a serious operation last Saturday. We do wish Ronny a speedy recovery and also Donald who broke the bone in his left ankle on Jan. 18 and will have it in a cast for eight weeks.

We are glad to report Mrs. Frank Graham came home from York County hospital on Sunday.

There was a large attendance at Sunday-school and church on Sunday. Everyone enjoyed the music by our new choir.

### ADDRESSES HIGH SCHOOL

On Monday, Jan. 30, the pupils of Aurora high school were addressed by Rev. H. J. Howey, B.A., B.D., on the life and works of Bobbie Burns.

## SCOUT NEWS

Newmarket Boy Scouts will make the regular salvage collection on the west side of town on Wednesday, Feb. 15, and the east side of town on Saturday, Feb. 18. All citizens are urged to save their papers and magazines for this drive.

On Wednesday evening, Jan. 25, at Legion Hall the first Aurora Boy Scouts and Cubs held a successful parents' night.

Mr. R. D. Hodgkinson, chairman of the group committee, opened the meeting and welcomed the guests.

A going-up service was held and Cub Billie Wray, Cub Douglas Rose were received into Scouts.

The boys and their parents were shown three films on Scouting and Cubing. These the boys as well as parents were keenly interested in.

Cub Master G. Hooper introduced the two assisting Cub leaders, Miss Jean Hodgkinson and Miss M. Brookes.

Mr. A. Hooper is Acting Scout Master.

The meeting closed with a lunch which all enjoyed.

The Scout moveemnt is sponsored by Canadian Legion Branch 385.

## ARMITAGE

Miss Fern Doan, Toronto, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. B. Hendricks.

The Armitage Club held its first meeting of the year on Friday, Jan. 27. A good attendance is reported. The following officers were elected: pres., Mr. Clayton Anderson; vice-pres., Mrs. B. Hendricks; sec.-treas., Miss Margaret Kerr; sick committee: Mrs. Clayton Anderson and Mrs. Chas. Tugwell.

Mr. Ernie Cook, manager of the Bank of Toronto, Kingston, is moving to Burlington about the first of February.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Cook and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Anderson on Sunday.

Glad to hear Mrs. Gordon Kerr is well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Benford and family, Toronto, and Mrs. Wilson, South River, were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tugwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reid, Weston, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Reid on Saturday.

Sorry to hear Wallace Sheridan is confined to his bed. Hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ash and Betty, Gorham St., Newmarket, called on their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Sheridan, on Sunday evening.

The Armitage Club is planning to have a euchre party on Tuesday, Feb. 1. Watch for further details.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Thompson visited their son, Roy, at Dixie on Sunday.

### BREAKFAST GUESTS

Aurora Business and Professional Women's club was a guest of the Brampton club in Brampton at breakfast on Sunday, Jan. 29.

# 3 Men With Foe Fiery Hawks Stop Regents 3-0

Displaying plenty of dash and team spirit, Aurora junior Hawks on Thursday night handed Brampton Regents a 3-0 defeat at Aurora before over 900 fans. The game, one of the best ever played in Aurora, is the talk of the district and it is doubtful if a better thriller will be seen this year. Deprived of their three Weston recruits, the Hawks saw Messrs. Dillon, Calhoun and Smith don the blue and red Brampton sweaters to play against them and that was like waving a red rag in front of a bull.

From the first drop of the puck the Aurora lads were red hot. They neither asked for nor gave quarter, although the game was clean. The result was hard bodychecks, quick relays from inside the Aurora blueline, dandy backchecking and some dazzling combination. Paul Maguire in the Aurora nets was brilliant and deserved a shut-out as time after time he foiled the visiting marksmen. Lanky Blake Eatough, the Brampton goalie, was equally brilliant and the three that beat him were well labelled. It was the first defeat of the season for Brampton and the Hawks soared into a first place tie for group honors.

It was at 2.10 of the first period when the fans got a glimpse of things to come. Ron Simmons took Bruce McMillan's perfect pass to slap home the rubber. There was no score for the rest of the period, and not a goal in the second session. In the third period it was young Master Simmons again who built up the lead on an almost repeat effort. Keith Wardell gave the relay from the corner and Simomns sank a low one home. Bruce McMillan made it certain as he scored a beauty at 14.10, Firth and Simmons drawing assists.

### McGhee 'Perfection'

While every man on both teams looked mighty good, one can't miss laying it on the line for captain Billy McGhee. The sturdy McGhee had his sweep check working to perfection, stopped at least a dozen shots on goal, and carted the puck up the ice like a race horse. Don Gibson and Laurie Thoms, while they didn't strike paydirt, turned in their best two-way displays and their passing was a treat to watch, as well as razzle-dazzle back-checking. Simmons and McMillan turned in their best efforts of the season with McMillan looking like his real self. The kid line of Marchant, Lyle Boyle and Hugh McRae, tossed into the mixing bowl at a crucial moment as coach Red Mitchell, desperate for player strength, sought every reserve, came through with flying colors. It's a fair hop from juvenile to top junior C but the local trio more than made good. We could rhapsodize about nearly every one of the Hawks but space won't permit, so don't be offended, fellows, if your name isn't mentioned. The crowd knows you played well.

Referee Jim Grainger and linesman Alf Child handled the game well with both teams drawing five penalties, none of a serious nature. For Brampton, Bill Longhouse, Sheridan, Ed Calhoun and Bob Wallace looked most impressive. Rangy and possessing plenty of speed, the Regents will be hard to beat in the play-offs.

For this game Aurora was minus Bill Attridge, Keith Collings and Grant Green. The game started under protest as the O.H.A. assured Aurora the Weston trio would play with Dixie or not at all. The protest was dropped after the game but the Aurora club has properly requested the O.H.A. to clarify the ruling.

Aurora: goal, Maguire; d., McGhee and Atkinson; c., Thoms; w., Wardell and Gibson; subs, Firth, Dale, Simmons, McMillan, McPhee, McRae, Boyle, Marchant.

# 5 MEN BLANK ECLIPSE 7-5 AT OPENING

Senior B hockey went over with a bang to the fans at Aurora arena on Saturday as Markham Millionaires edged out Toronto Eclipse 7-5 to even their series. The 1,200 present for the opening ceremonies of the new artificial ice plant caught a real performance that left little to be desired by way of thrills and spills. Eclipse took a 2-0 lead in the first period, Markham drew up to a 4-3 deficit by the end of the second and in the final period to the roars of their many followers the Millionaires drew on even terms and forged ahead as the Toronto redshirts weakened under superior manpower.

Markham had three forward lines to the two for the "University Grads" and the pace told as they went to the wire. Referee Andy Bellemer and linesman Doug James allowed the players plenty of lee-way in interpreting the rules and a rugged contest resulted although no actual mayhem was committeed. Ecclestone, the Eclipse rearguard, was the lone sinner of the night, drawing three trips to the sin-bin, and how he escaped a misconduct as he pushed and jostled referee Andy Bellemer still is a mystery.

Headlining the entire performance was the work of Dr. Paul Hutz, the Eclipse goalie, who stopped the proverbial million and was well beaten on anything that found the rigging.

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DOWN THE CENTRE BY AB HULSE

# Panter Returns Aurora Trio

The silver lining began to show through the dark clouds of Aurora hockey at the weekend. First of all, the O.H.A. and Mr. George Panter backpedalled on the **Markham Trio**, declared ineligible ten days ago, and gave them special visas to play with Rogers' Rangers. That means that Vic Meharg, Murray Brandon and Tex Grove will be with the club until the season ends. Aurora claimed help because of the increased territorial boundaries extended Stouffville and Markham, costing Aurora players who by actual mileage were eligible for Aurora yet deserved the right to play better hockey if they could. The O.H.A. recognized this.

Even if the **Waiver Rule** is not placed back in the book, I think you can depend on Mr. Panter to come up with an amendment which will cover the embarrassing situation the O.H.A. found themselves in under existing rules. Better organize now to have the waiver rule re-established if "The Met" and country clubs are going to be happy.

Next on the list of happy events, **Hal Rogers** shook-off his illness and rejoined the club, hoping to shake it up and make up for the two losses caused by the absence of the three players and get the team in high gear again. Then **Red Mitchell**, coach of Aurora Hawks and former professional, signed with the Aurora intermediates. Mitchell will not be available at times because of junior duties, but unlike last year, he hasn't the arena management to plague him, and he's in better shape.

**New sweaters** in the Boston Bruins motif of white, brown and gold were donned by the team this week and they look mighty smart. There's nothing wrong with the club that a winning streak can't mend. In any event, performances like that turned in against Naval Vets can be taken as a thing of the past.

**Aurora Hawks** gave one of the best performances an Aurora junior team has displayed in recent years in downing Brampton last week. The kids surprised even their staunchest supporters by the way they methodically and daringly mowed down the talented Regents. The **reserve strength** displayed by such boys as Hugh McRae, Lyall Boyle and Doug Marchant was most gratifying. **Bill Attridge**, now in Florida, is lost for the year with an old knee injury, but **Keith Collings** is expected back soon. We liked the way Mitchell handled the team too. **Four playing certificates** are now in the hands of the O.H.A. for ratification to add further strength to the team. "Toar" Hill, Morley Petch of the '49 Unionville team, a lad named Barkoff, and one other are said to be the players. Chances are good that they'll get the approval of the O.H.A.

**Hawks Manager Earl Attridge** is really steamed up about the transfer of the three Weston players, Calhoun, Dillon and Smith, to Brampton. When the O.H.A. refused them to Aurora, Earl says that Mr. Panter said they would have to play with Dixie Staffords, their nearest club. Now it appears that if Brampton is within five miles beyond the distance to Dixie from where the lads live, they are Brampton property. The O.H.A. is sticking by its guns too, and you'll see the trio in action in the play-offs with Aurora. The regular schedule ends on Feb. 9, but Hawks are finished Feb. 2 when **Acton Juniors** come to Aurora. Perchance the play-offs will start sooner. Aurora will be ready.

**Informative items: Joint McComb** is top scorer on the St. Louis Flyers and playing great hockey this season. Another Newmarket boy and ex-Aurora junior, **Scotty Mair**, is doing right well on the scoring front too. Hughie is the No. 1 boy in the O.H.A. senior snipers parade. Let's make a note too that **Ronnie Rowe**, ex-Markham junior, now with Tacoma on the Pacific Coast league, is in fifth place in the scoring race of the northern section of the P.C.L. **Pete Widdrington**, ex-Pickering athlete, and last year a member of the Aurora Meteors defence, is playing with Queen's University juniors this season. **Ken Brown** scored a ten-strike when he secured **Upper Canada College** for the Nobleton arena.

**Teeder Kennedy**, captain of Toronto Maple Leafs, coaches U.C.C. and the autograph hunters are thick when he hits Nobleton. **Wes Niles**, ex-Newmarket softball hurler, now a crack insurance man, is fogging the big apple over the plate for Toronto Scottish in the Toronto Garrison Officers' league, which plays every Saturday at either University or Fort York Armory. **Earl Rowe**, genial M.P. for Dufferin-Simcoe and one of "the greats" of the harness race, has a new 1950 filly in his stables. Sire is Van Riddell, winner of the Canadian Futurity and once ran in the Hambletonian at Goshen, N.Y. The dam is Bertha Baldwin. Those are mighty good bloodlines, partner. **Bradford Juveniles and Midgets** are thick in the O.M.H.A. playoff race and those who have seen the kids go, figure they might annex a title this year. **Bert Mayrand** of Gray Stones is providing the prizes for the three stars picked nightly at Aurora Metropolitan games.


CO-OP NEWS

The fertilizer situation is not good. C.I.L. advises us that potash supplies are being fast depleted, cannot be replenished due to a long continuing strike in Carlsbad, New Mexco. These mines produce 86 percent of the potash used in North America . . . the strike shows no signs of termination. It is now too late to obtain adequate supplies for the spring trade in any event.

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## Marlies Take Spits 11-3 Top Optimist League

Marlboros are leading the rest of the pack in the Optimist bantam league. The Hollingsworth coached clan has 13 points from six wins and a tie. Tee Pees have 9, four wins, two losses and a tie. Spitfires are still in search of their first win, having only one tie for a single point.

Marlboros downed the Spitfires 11-3 Friday. Bob Forhan and Merlyn Bales shared the scoring spotlight with a quartet of goals. Delwyn Creed was their chief helper with three tallies. Laurie VanZant headed the slate for the losers with two goals while Glen Keffer bopped in a single.

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## TWO TIES, WIN SIMCOE LOOP

The Lake Simcoe hockey teams weren't giving away anything for nothing over the past week. It was share and share alike in most cases. Two tie games were recorded. Pine Orchard and Queensville deadlocking at 3-3. Friday, Queensville and Vandorf dished up a 6-6 thriller that kept the fans in a dither.

Vandorf ran into a one-two powerhouse at Keswick who dropped them by a lop-sided 11-2 count. A first win for Keswick this season.

Bruce Townsley was the dominant figure on the ice in Friday's thriller, keeping the scorer busy recording his five thrusts. Cecil Mortson plunked in the Queensvillers' sixth tally. Vandorf's successful shot makers were paced by Bob Staley with two. Leon Shropshire, Jim Preston, Clem Ellis and Bill Kingdon with singles.

Bob Shropshire was the main scoring threat for Pine Orchard in their three-all stalemate with Queensville. Bob had a pair of scoring credits, Ted Tidman slapping home number three. Bill Burkholder, Bruce Lockie and Gord Stephenson scored for Queensville.

League standing as of Monday, Jan. 30, is:

| | W | L | T | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mount Albert | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Queensville | 2 | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| Keswick | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Vandorf | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Pine Orchard | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |

Future games: Feb. 3, Queensville at Mount Albert; Feb. 6, Keswick at Vandorf; Feb. 7, Vandorf at Mount Albert; all games played at Queensville arena.

### HARMONICA ORCHESTRA

A harmonica band is being formed in Newmarket, according to B. A. Budd. Mr. Budd asks anyone who is interested in the band to phone 431. A meeting and practice will be held at the Budd Studio to-night.


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## NEWS 'N' VIEWS

By George Haskett

ERA AND EXPRESS SPORTS EDITOR

The O.H.A. has cleared the air. Harold Rogers and his Indian braves can resume their scalping at full steam. O.H.A. gave Vic Meharg, Murray Brandon and new defenseman Grove green light to skate with the tribe. Aurora dropped couple of toughies while the trio was off. Indians needed those two to stay up with Sutton and Bradford.

Side-kick Ab Hulse had it right. Metro teams will blast each other more than somewhat on the ice but managers and coaches can see Metro circuit has to be evenly matched to keep payees in the pews. With that situation cleared, Trolley loop appears squarely balanced, more so than last year. Every team of the original four will run its share of the points. **City teams, East Coast and Navy Vets,** aren't going too well. Local interest is lacking in their comings and goings. Gates skid when they appear. East Coast looked weak Saturday p.m., weaker in fact than when season started. Bradford blasted them 10-2 using ten men with Don Willson, Chuck Nesbitt and Bill Boychoff absent. Trouble upstairs with the Coasters now to add to the worry. Harry Commary ousted as manager. Three or four of the better stick-toters watched fray from the sidelines Saturday. Navy Vets with one home game are finding it difficult to keep up with mounting costs. Vets are considering a switch of home nights from Richmond Hill to Keswick.

**Stop, look and listen.** Spits campaign opened to bring home Metro cup? Spits had more hurry under their skating boots Thursday than Greenshirts. Won a morale-building 8-4 triumph. Fans may have bemoaned the fact that the Smith clan has been weak in goal since Joe Tunney went on the shelf. Fred Dillman did a right good job of puck stopping Thursday, getting in front of some jim-dandy drives from Sutton shooting irons. Bill Johnston was main scoring cog in the Spits' wheel. Spits poured a steady barrage of rubber at Bill Holder in the Sutton twinery. Holder held well but was no Bob Winch.

**Where oh where can they be?** We mean the fans of course. If we told you the Kraut line were at the arena, you'd all be there. We can't say that but we can say Hoffman "Rockets" have a Kraut line in the making with a high scoring trio of juveniles, Bill Smith, "Pepper" Martin and Murray McDonald. There are two strong supporting units in Ron Coveney, Jack Staley and Walter "Hurry" Cain and a third string centred by Bruce Langford with flankers Noel and Howard Ash. Back-walling are Bill "Hook" McHale, Bob "Basher" Groves, Ian Brown and Franklin Morton. In between the pipes is Howard Peterman, a darn good blocker for anyone's dough. Point we're trying to put over is that "Ceegars" McDonald's Rockets start their O.M.H.A. playdown trail this week. Come down and give the boys your support next time out.

**Haskett's Hash:** Attendance Thursday 928. A drop below expectations but still good. **Sharpen up your peepers,** goalies. Ted Robinson has the Marigold Trophy at hand. Goes to the net minder with least goals scored against. **Roy "Mutt" Collings** played a merry tune on the score sheet Saturday, five goals and a pair of assists. Moved "Mutt" up into familiar territory in a tie for top scoring honors with our own Bill "Hot Shot" Johnston.

**Bradford and Sutton** are really passing around trolley league leadership. Changes hands about every time the teams are out. If our crystal bowl doesn't crack, Spits will be up there with 'em before the week is out. **Pleased to see Harv Gibney** out on skates for Spits work-out over the weekend. No, Harv didn't tote a stick but three weeks should do it. Ralph Griffith, injured in the broad crash Thursday, has a cracked rib. Sutton players thought it was worse.

**Get your program** lined up for a big week. Tonight those surprising Bradford "Murrell Motors" lay it on with the Spits. Friday, Markham is at home here to Midland. Perc Hutchinson has another town league doubleheader booked for Monday, the usual two for the price of one: Hoffman vs. Davis, Specialty vs. town.

## N.H.S. Juniors Humble Richmond Hill 28-13

Fred Speer's junior basketball team at Newmarket high school hooped a 28-13 win over Richmond Hill high school at the gym here last Wednesday. Jerry Hugo was the main carrier for the N.H.S., rolling up an impressive 15-point total. Though not so prominent in the scoring, Don Trivett stole the spotlight. He played a whale of a game, and scored nine points. Alvie McKnight and "Dusty" Rogers each tacked on two points in the N.H.S. cause. For the visiting Hill contingent, Burbidge was tops with six scoring points followed by Garrett with four.

## Bantams Take Sutton 3-1 In Exhibition Tilt

Optimist bantams, slated to carry our banner in the O.M.H.A. playdowns, made another conquest in their getting ready exercises. In an exhibition fixture at the arena they knocked off Sutton 3-1. George Davis with Billy Mair assisting, Bob Forhan and Delwyn Creed were the Newmarket marksmen. Harry Cronsberry with Jim Simpson drawing an assist slapped home the Sutton counter.

Sutton: goal, Hitchins; d., McKay, Walker; c., G. Big Canoe; w., T. Big Canoe, R. Big Canoe; subs., H. Cronsberry, Simser, Norris, Bones, Munroe, Smith, Pringle, Clark.

Newmarket: goal, G. Morton; d., L. VanZant, B. Doyle; c., B. Forhan; w., K. Keffer, D. Creed; subs., Davis, Attwell, Mair, W. Forhan, M. Young, M. Bales, B. Broadbent. Referee: Joe Peat.

### STARTS FUND

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Aurora. They were working as the town garbage collectors when the accident occured. Pugh was a staunch supporter of Aurora hockey teams and could always be found at the Aurora arena on the night of a hockey game.

Gordon Pugh, who was called "Ginger" by all his friends and by those who didn't know his correct name, is reported to be staging an uphill battle for his life. The campaign has been called the Ginger Fund, but "Old Tom" as Mr. Beckett was called, has not been forgotten.

### DOUBLE-HEADER FRIDAY

**There's a tasty doubleheader lined up for Aurora arena on Friday night. In the opener at 7.30, Aurora midgets meet Unionville in an O.M.H.A. play-off game. At 9 p.m. Jack Portland, Brit Burns, Nip Spooner and all the gang from Collingwood will be on hand to meet Toronto Eclipse in a senior B fixture. It looks like a big night.**

## 3 TEAMS TIE FOR 2ND PLACE IN KIDS' LOOP

With no postponments to plague them, our Saturday morning hockeyists, the pee-wee and squirt teams, are keeping right at their knitting in the school league. Standing in the pee-wee sector shows the Rangers with three wins, no losses and a tie for seven points. The other three teams, Red Wings, Bruins and Canadiens, are all bunched in a deadlock for second slot with a win, two losses and a tie.

Red Wings and Rangers battled to a 3-3 tie Saturday morning while Canadiens eked out a 2-1 win over Bruins. Bears are front runners in the squirt league. They have three victories, one defeat for six points. Barons and Bison are all square in second place with two victories, one defeat and a tie for five. Flyers have yet to hit the win column with four losses on the books against them.

Saturday morning, Bison whitewashed the Barons 3-0. Bears registered a 3-1 triumph over the luckless Flyers.

Bobbie Forhan is dominating the scoring race in the pee-wee sector with a 34-point production, 25 goals and nine assists. Bob Attwell has 25, Merlyn Bales 22, Delwyn Creed 21 and Geo. Davis 18 at the moment.

### TOWN LEAGUE STANDING

January 31

| | W | L | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Merchants | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Davis | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Specialty | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Hoffman | 0 | 4 | 0 |

Monday's games: Hoffman vs. Davis; Specialty vs. Town.

## ROCKETS OPEN O.M.H.A. CHASE WITH 8-6 WIN

Hoffman "Rockets" won their first test in the O.M.H.A. playdowns, defeating Elmvale here Tuesday evening 8-6. "It didn't mean a thing," says manager Bob Murray. "Won't have to make that return jaunt north." A last-minute wire from O.M.H.A. upstairs ruled off the Valers because of the use of four junior players.

Be that as it may, Tuesday's fracas was a free-wheeling hockey to-do. It had enough general get-up-and-go and scoring to please anyone's taste. It's been bandied about that the Rockets had one punch line and two checking units. Discard that theory, my hearties. Tuesday p.m., the Ash boys, Noel and Howard, along with their running mate Ron Coveney, proved they can get goals with the best of them. Noel sank three goals, drew an assist, Ron Coveney one and three assists and Howard Ash two assists.

Bill Smith made his presence felt with two, Murray McDonald picked the corner for one while Bill "Hook" McHale shot in a longie to complete the scoring run. Bob "Basher" Groves was into the fun hopping over everything in sight as well as earning two assists. Jack Cole, a fast stepping blue liner, was the visitors' best. He can move to town tomorrow for our dough.

Why, oh why, can't we see more fans out to these games? They're good. Midland is likely to be next opposition for the Rockets.

### HERB CAIN HOME

Herb Cain returned home on Thursday following an accident which occurred in Hershey during the Buffalo-Hershey hockey game on Sunday evening, Jan. 22. Herb suffered a broken ankle which is expected to keep him in Newmarket for about four weeks.

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legs along with a broken hip and a broken pelvis bone. He broke one arm and received several lacerations to his head and scalp, but was not injured internally.

An urgent call was received in Aurora a few hours after the accident for blood donors. Several carloads of volunteers were sent to the hospital by taxi but were rejected because of the rare type RH-negative-B blood that was required. An emergency despatching station was established at the Aurora Coffee Shop and several scores of men were sent from there to the hospital to have their blood typed.

The accident was just north of Wellington St. on Yonge where the men were making the regular rounds, collecting garbage. Scores of people rushed to the scene of the tragedy but were helpless to render any aid to Pugh or Beckett.

## Spits Take Sutton 8-4 In Wide Open Tilt

### METROPOLITAN LEAGUE SCORING LEADERS

(All games to Jan. 29)

| | G | A | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Collings (B.) | 12 | 8 | 20 |
| Holborn (S.) | 8 | 12 | 20 |
| Johnston (N.) | 16 | 4 | 20 |
| Davie (S.) | 9 | 11 | 20 |
| Smith (N.) | 5 | 14 | 19 |
| McInnis (N.) | 7 | 9 | 16 |
| Taylor (S.) | 7 | 8 | 15 |
| Williams (A.) | 3 | 11 | 14 |
| Willson (B.) | 6 | 8 | 14 |
| Todd (N.) | 7 | 6 | 13 |
| Gibbons (N.) | 8 | 5 | 13 |
| Mundell (A.) | 8 | 5 | 13 |
| Boychoff (B.) | 6 | 7 | 13 |
| Brodie (A.) | 9 | 4 | 13 |

### METROPOLITAN LEAGUE STANDING

Feb. 1, 1950

| | W | L | T | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bradford | 6 | 3 | 1 | 13 |
| Sutton | 6 | 2 | 1 | 13 |
| Newmarket | 6 | 3 | 0 | 12 |
| Aurora | 3 | 4 | 1 | 7 |
| Navy Vets | 2 | 4 | 1 | 5 |
| East Coast | 2 | 9 | 0 | 4 |

### LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| East Coast | 5 | Navy Vets | 3 |
| Bradford | 10 | East Coast | 2 |
| Sutton | 7 | Bradford | 6 |
| Newmarket | 8 | Sutton | 4 |
| Navy Vets | 10 | Aurora | 4 |
| Newmarket | 11 | Aurora | 6 |

## IRONMEN GIVE MERCHANTS RUN FOR 4-3 WIN

Hoffman's improved "Ironmen" surprised even their most ardent supporters by holding the front running, undefeated Town "Merchants" to a 4-3 margin in Monday's town league activity. A bit more spit and polish around Bill Ingram in the town strings by the Hoffman shooters might have brought about the major upset of the season.

As it was, the town hoofers laced two late period tallies by Handy Andy Andrews for the winning margin. Ken Rusnell wound up for the tying marker and Chase the banker made it official. Bob "Pop" Smith and Ken Groves drew assisting nods on the winner. Hoffman tallies were recorded by Jack Duncan, Bob LeShien assisting. "Red" Wilkins and "Salty" Bunn to give the Pressmen a 3-2 lead at the end of two skating sessions.

Quick now, when did the Specialty puck-chasers last blast the Tannery into submission? Pete Neufeld's side did it Monday night in the nightcap by a 4-2 count. Barney Bishop was the number one wing-dinger in the Specialty win, putting away two goal-ward sallies that paid off. Albert Evans and Geo Zogolo popped in the other two goals for the cabinetmakers. The Groves brothers, Bohmer on number one and Jack on number two, were the successful Tannery shot-makers.

Another big double-header attraction next Monday. Hoffman vs. Davis in the early game, Specialty vs. Town in the late affair.

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No one was injured in a fire that broke out on the Toronto to North Bay pool train half a mile north of Newmarket on Friday, Jan. 27. The train was backed into town where Newmarket fire brigade put out the blaze.

Newmarket Spits did a right fine job of smacking down Sutton "Greenshirts" at the arena Thursday. Spits registering a double up 8-4 victory. Close to 1,000 fans watched the Spits outdangle Pringle's group leaders. Big factor in the victory was speed. The Spits had it, and the Greenshirts couldn't quite match it.

It was another of those free scoring, free-wheeling games. Forwards were on the go, defencemen were tearing up, then dashing back to stop the opposition. For all the world, at the start, it looked like another of those "you have one—we'll take one" scoring games that Sutton and Newmarket have a habit of putting on the menu.

"Hot Shot" Bill Johnston made an early splash on the score sheet. Billy Boy in less than six minutes had poked in two, his running mate, Don Smith, assisting on number one while number two was a long drive that beat Holder in the Sutton cage from away out. Sutton countered via Geo. Lamont and Roger O'Dell. From there on, Spits carried the play. "Swifty" Todd snared a pass from Dougie Brandon that was meant for a waiting Greenshirter. "Swifty" made no mistake, sailing in to deke the Sutton keeper. Normie Legge gave the Spits a two-goal margin before the initial session closed.

The double D's, Davie and Dunn, put Sutton back within hailing distance on an early second period safari. "Flash" Tunstead with Bill Mabert assisting, and Bill Johnston all alone, and Stan Gibbons from Myles McInnis gave the Spits a 7-4 lead before the middle frame shutoff.

The teams split a pair in the final twenty, Don Smith taking a pass from Myles McInnis for the Spits finale. Geo. Lamont laid his stick on a Davie inspired pass with 20 seconds to go to give Sutton a four count.

Fred Dillman was good in our cage. Our defence quartet of "Whitey" Bone, Joe Peat, Deb. Cooper and Cliff Gunn did a good job of taking care of the Sutton rushers.

## League-Leading Bradford Here Tonight

**Bradford's group leading "Murrell Motors," fast stepping hockey machine, will be the opposition for the Spits at the arena tonight. You'll see an improved band of Bradford skaters over their first appearance here of the season. Don Willson, Chuck Nesbitt, "Mutt" Collings, Joe Magani, Ken Tupling, Ken "Motts" Thoms will be the main mail carriers for the visitors and last but not least, Ray "Ozark Ike" Fox. Worth the price of admish alone to watch Ozark biff a few Spits here and there. Stan Smith will counter with his strongest side.**

**Another in those peppy Senior B contests is billed for the arena Friday evening. Markham "Millionaires" are due to take on Midland in an O.H.A. fixture. Game time is nine chimes.**

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## On The Alleys

Eskimos are pace-setters in the Mount Albert bowling circle with an output of 47 points. Hurons have 43, Cubs 42, Excelsiors 39, while other teams are strung out down to Plutocrats with 18. Ron Willbee has the top men's average with 189, followed by Geo. Price 186. Lorne McQuaid had the high single for the season recently with a nice 347. In the ladies' section, Dot. Oliver had a high 164 average, Marion Case 161. Daphne Brown shot a 275 for high single mark. Jack Pearson's team totalled 3,452 to lead in that division.

Frank VandenBergh with Hoffman's last Friday scored a dandy 792 (140, 379). Alan Daniels, Stores captain, had a 740 three-game total including a fine 339 single. Wilmot Hill was third with 650. Sheet Metal and Stores put across 5-2 wins over the two shop teams, Press and Machine. Leadership stays put with Sheet Metal 59, Stores 55, Press Shop 46, Machine Shop 39, Vorclone 26.

Tanners aren't boasting too much about last week's scores. Ned Tansley of Tanners gained top individual honors with 660 (239, 244, 177). Harry Thoms at 610 and Geo. Smart at 586 were hottest competition. League standing shows Burling out front with 80, Thoms 72, Groves 48 and Smart 38.

Town League Ladies were in a scoring mood Monday. Edna McGrath all but made the 800 circle with 794 (313, 167, 314). Very creditable marks were turned in by Nurse Mary Osborne 645, Dorothy Bowser 619, Jeanne Gatti 613, Mimi Giovanelli 603, Phyl. McInnis 551, Mona Dean 543. Snoops, Jokers and Huskies took down three points, Rookies, Aces and Deuces one each. Snoops head the circuit with 35, while Deuces are in the cellar spot with 22.

A transfusion for the Scatter-Pins. A new recruit from the big city, Jimmy Rook, paced them last week in the V.L.A. bowling circuit with 399 for two games. Art Lloyd collared high single with 220. Joan Boddington captured the ladies' high doubles prize with 388. Barbara Thompson's 188 was high single. Pin-Ups top the league with 46. Timber-Ribs one point back and last Scatter-Pins with 35.

Laura Whitfield, in the Thursday Night Ladies' League, bowled a fine 704 (220, 215, 269). Other scores were Eva Whitfield 589, Jean Peppiatt 523, Joyce Smith 511, Joyce VandenBergh 507, Audrey Brice 503.

Myrtle Dunn was the number one sharpshooter with the Thursday Night gals with 704 (314, 228, 175). Other good scores were pencilled by Edna McGrath 577, Hazel Bennitz 563, Edith Hall 537, Norma Peel 537, Bev. Walker 525, Laurna Styke 515.

Tie for tops with the Friday Nighters. Slick Chicks and Eager Beavers at 48, Stinkers 42 and last Hep Cats 30. Doris Simmerson was best in the ladies' section, spilling the pins for a 576 threesome including a 240 high single. "Bink" Wright polished off a 676 for three games to top the men. His 280 single was high in that department for the evening.